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in Washington is enhancing in
value by leaps and bounds. A
happy augury of steadily in-
creasing prosperity.

The Washington Post.

Weather—Clearing today, pre-
ceded by light snow early this
morning; somewhat colder to-
night; tomorrow fair.
Temperature yesterday—High-
est, 33; lowest, 31.

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POST-SCRIPTS

By
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"Sad, high, and working, full of
state and woe,
Such noble scenes as draw the eye
to flow,
We now present"

If you were a police strike settler
by trade and the Senate suddenly
authorized you to settle a coal
strike wouldn't it jar you! Senator
Copeland's the kind of a man who
would go to a chiropodist to have
his tonsils sprayed.

The Stillmans are billing and
cooing to such an extent it's thought
that by the time they reach Cher-
bourg they'll be engaged.

T. R. could get all the coal oper-
ators in the world in the East
Room, and crack 'em over the head
with the Big Stick at a single blow,
but it will take more than an act
of Congress to make 135,000
miners work when they don't want
to.

Barbara La Marr left only \$10-
000—but she took with her as much
as anybody ever did.

The Board of Education opposes
the bill for an elective board in
Washington, but what is Sophie
Irene Butinsky going to do about it?

Senators opposed to the old gray
mare going into the League Court
hold a conference to see what can
be done about locking the stable
door.

The English home of the ances-
tors of George Washington is
brought over by a prominent im-
porter and lands on the dock at
Norfolk, but what's the duty under
the Fordney-McCumber law?

With 500 desperate miners in
angry mood being dispersed at
Scranton by police armed with
sawed-off shotguns it's getting to
be about time that somebody ended
the strike if they have to get Judge
Albert Barnes Anderson of Indian-
apolis, to do it.

Darn the luck! Now the farmers
have got to quit work an hour every
day to listen to Secretary Jaxdine
explaining how to manure pigs
feet, give Dobbin a shingle bob,
and keep a rooster's spurs from
getting rusty. The radio is about
to be employed in a shrewd move
to prevent over-production of the
crops.

It looks as though the speech of
Tom Connolly, of Texas, ranking
president Coolidge with Mussolini,
would just about cost the Demo-
cratic party the solid Italian vote
of Boston. There are now two
Hubs of the Universe and the other
one is Rome.

Gustave Strasseman's speech
arrives at the cafes in the Corso
Umberto and the Piazza di Venezia
too late for Mussolini to tell the
people what it means.

Representative Zihlman's crusade
for the removal of all the railroad
crossings from Washington dis-
closes there are just five important
ones left. To those who can re-
member when whole sections of the
city, north and south of the Cap-
itol, were a network of tracks
where shifting freight or speed-
ing passenger trains held up traf-
fic and took a ghastly toll of lives.
Our Town today seems pretty well
rid of this nuisance, but a good job
is never done till it's finished.

A soft snow makes hard walk-
ing. Here's Morris Hacker's chance
to strut his stuff!

"I understand," says Senator
Jim Reed indignantly, "that Demo-
cratic leaders have agreed to
accept the Mellon scheme of tax-
ation." What a rage he'll be in
when he discovers that the world
court has passed! Keep it dark,
boys!

Frenchman whose war-time
sentence for treason has just been
revised knocks out a Chevalier of
the Legion of Honor who applied
the ugly epithet to him. This is
contrary to movie psychology and
ought not to be tolerated.

That extra \$2.50 dividend on
Quaker Oats ought to call for a lit-
tle more sugar on the porridge this
morning.

"By the by," asks the Countess
of Cathcart, held up by the im-
migration authorities in New York
"why have you a Statue of Lib-
erty?" Oh, it's just a little men-
mento!

Representative Blanton says he's
going to remain in Washington
until he's the friend of all the
newspapers in the city. Tom, we
love you!—What time does the
first train leave for Texas?

Commissioner Rudolph still re-
mains as voteless as the rest of the
people of Washington.

RIOT POLICE CHECK MINERS' MARCH ON 2 COAL WASHERIES

Scranton Plants Taking
Bread From Mouths,
Strikers Assert.

SUPPLY OF TEAR GAS
IS ORDERED BY CHIEF

Lewis Opposes Legislators
Acting as Mediators;
Operators Accept.

Scranton, Pa. Feb. 9 (By A. P.).
First massed demonstration of the
5-month-old coal strike occurred
today when 500 miners marched on
two washeries here in protest
against hydraulic production of
coal which their leader asserted
was "taking the bread out of their
mouths." They were dispersed by
25 policemen armed with sawed-off
shotguns. None was injured.

The police detained three men
who identified themselves as lead-
ers of the demonstration, but sub-
sequently released them with warn-
ings. At the same time Chief of
Police Rose announced the estab-
lishment of a "riot squad" at po-
lice headquarters sufficient to cope
with any emergency that might
arise in the future. He also sent
for some tear gas.

Will Continue Work.
Joe Santasario, of Dunmore, who
led the march of the miners, said
tonight that the demonstration was
not intended to be anything but
peaceful and that he would make a
full report on it to his district
union officials tomorrow.

The march was the climax to
complaints by miners against the
growing washer coal production in
this area, which has placed them in
an ugly mood. Operators tonight
indicated the washer production
would continue.

Miners from all over the Lacka-
wanna valley met last night at Dun-
more in a joint meeting of locals
No. 1670 and 2407 and formed
the plan of protesting which
they carried out today. In their
ranks were men from Dickinson City,
Throop, Olyphant, Dunmore and
Scranton.

Miners Oppose Mediation.
Harrisburg, Pa. Feb. 9 (By A. P.).
—Members of the United Mine
Workers are opposed to having the
Pennsylvania legislature or any com-
mittee representing it act as medi-
ators in the present anthracite con-
troversy, John L. Lewis, president
of the union, stated in a letter read
today before a subcommittee of the
house committee on mines here.

The letter was addressed to Rep-
resentative Burd P. Evans, Mont-
gomery county in response to in-
quiries to which Mr. Evans made
of Mr. Lewis and Maj. W. W. Ingalls,
chairman of the operators' negotiat-
ing committee as to their attitude
toward a mediation plan embodied
in a resolution sponsored by Mr.
Evans.

Accepted by Ingalls.
Maj. Ingalls informed him by tele-
phone today, Mr. Evans said, that
he agreed "absolutely and unquali-
fiedly" to the representative's plan,
which proposed a mediation com-
mission, to consist of United States
Senators Pepper and Reed, of Penn-
sylvania, and former Gov. Edwin S.
Stuart.

The house today voted down a
motion to place on the calendar,
despite the negative recommenda-
tion of the mines committee, the
Pinchot bill declaring the anthra-
cite industry a public utility for the
purposes of regulation.

The house also passed a resolu-
tion for a joint session of the sen-
ate and house next Tuesday at
which operators and miners would
be invited to discuss the strike sit-
uation, but the senate halted the res-
olution by referring it to its mines
committee.

President Approves
Death for Thompson

(By the Associated Press.)
President Coolidge has approved
the death sentence asked in the
Philippines by an army court mar-
tial for Second Lieut. John S.
Thompson. Official announcement
of his decision probably will be
made within a day or two.

Chimney Sweeps Heard Again, Due to Coal Tie-Up

Philadelphia, Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—After an interval of 40
years, chimney sweeps have again
appeared on the streets of Phila-
delphia.
Cries of "Sweep! Sweep!"
from the throats of sooty indi-
viduals, carrying bundles of
sweep material, are bringing
back to the Philadelphians the
days when wood and soft coal
were the chief articles of fuel.
The anthracite strike is the
reason for the sweep's reap-
pearance. The suspension goes into
history this week as the longest
since the black diamonds were
discovered in Pennsylvania more
than 100 years ago. Tomorrow
it will have lasted 163 days,
equaling the record of the sus-
pension of 1922. On Thursday it
will equal the great strike of
1902 under the leadership of
John Mitchell.

COUNTRESS OF CATHCART NOT PERMITTED TO LAND

Divorce Is Cause, Says Figure
in Two Sensational Suits
in London.

OUTRAGE, SHE DECLARES

New York, Feb. 9 (By A. P.).
The Countess of Cathcart, who fig-
ured with the Earl of Craven in two
sensational English divorce cases—
her own and his—was detained
aboard the steamship Carmania by
immigration authorities when she
arrived tonight.

The countess said her detention
was because she is divorced. Her
husband divorced her four years
ago, naming the Earl of Craven as
co-defendant. She was later named
as co-defendant in a suit brought
against the earl.

That, she said tonight is of the
past, and no reason to keep her
aboard ship overnight. The earl
has returned to his wife, and now
is with her in Bermuda. His af-
fairs no longer concern her, the
countess said, and had nothing to
do with her coming to America. In-
stead, she is going to marry Ralph
Neal, an English playwright, next
month. She said she hoped to pass
five weeks in this country with
friends.

"By the by," she asked, "why
have you a statue of Liberty? We
could see it for my being held
river, but what's the use of seeing
Liberty if they are going to treat
you as a criminal when you arrive?"
"I think it is an outrage, my be-
ing held on this ship. I have done
nothing in my life that I am as-
hamed of. I do think America
has treated me terribly, and per-
sonally, I think I have a powerful
enemy in New York. The only rea-
son I can see for my being held
is that I am divorced. There are
25,000 divorced women in the
United States. Why do they pick
me out for this sort of reception?"
The countess is 28 years old.

The only questions asked of her
by the immigration officers con-
cerned her divorce. Lee F. Ber-
neys, of the British consulate in
New York, was summoned to the
ship. She said he had told her he
saw no reason for her detention,
and assured her she would be ad-
mitted in the morning.

CLEARING AND COLDER FORECAST FOR TODAY

Light Snow This Morning,
However, to Follow Heavy
Fall of Last Night.

The elements made good with a
vengeance last night's forecast of
the weather bureau and blanketed
Washington early this morning with
a thick carpet of soft snow.

The weather man officially fore-
cast clearing weather for today,
with a light snow early this morn-
ing. It will be somewhat colder
tonight, and tomorrow will be fair,
he said.

The snow began falling heavily
before midnight and quickly cov-
ered the streets and bade fair to con-
tinue long enough to interfere some-
what with traffic today, inasmuch
as neither the street car companies
nor District officials were quite pre-
pared for it.

2,000 Aboard Liners Delayed by Heavy Fog

New York, Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—
A heavy fog that blanketed the
coast today delayed the arrival of
six ocean liners with a total of
nearly 2,000 passengers.

The steamships Pittsburgh, Celtic
and United States were forced to
anchor off the Statue of Liberty
after they left quarantine. The
Mauretania and the Carmania, due
at quarantine this morning, were
held up off Ambrose Lightship.
The liner Minnetonka managed to
creep up the Hudson several hours
late.

Archbishop Curley Urges All Catholics
To Use THE MANUAL OF PRAYERS.
John Murphy Co., Park ave. & City st., Balto.
—Adv.

PRESIDENT'S POLICY ON COAL UNALTERED BY SENATE'S ACTION

White House Believes No
Good Would Result by
Calling Conference.

COOLIDGE TO CONSIDER
REQUEST, HOWEVER

Executive Is Not Adverse to
Resolution, as It Gives
Taxes the Floor Again.

By ALBERT W. FOX.

President Coolidge was formally
asked by Senate resolution yester-
day to take steps looking to end the
anthracite coal strike, and popular
imagination, from coast to coast,
will admittedly see the President
now in the role of authorized medi-
ator. But those who scrutinize the
Senate's action more closely will
see, it is said, that Mr. Coolidge
has been given no power to do any-
thing which he could not have done
of his own volition since the strike
began, and that consequently the
Senate may simply be giving the
public, including those in the great-
est distress, false hopes or expecta-
tions that will not materialize.

The Copeland resolution, re-
questing the President to call a
conference of the committee of
miners and operators at the White
House, "at such time as he thinks
best," had scarcely passed the Sen-
ate, by a vote of 55 to 21, before
the White House spokesman made
it clear that Mr. Coolidge would
long ago have taken the requested
action if he had thought it would
accomplish anything.

Its Passage Expected.
Therefore, the President was not
in any position to indicate any
change of his policy toward the
strike, though he will, of course,
give the Senate resolution serious
consideration and of necessity re-
gard it as an expression of opinion
by the Senate. There were indica-
tions that the White House was
aware in advance that the resolu-
tion was to pass and that Mr. Cool-
idge was not adverse to having it
disposed of so that the tax bill
could have uninterrupted considera-
tion.

It was also suggested at the
White House that President Cool-
idge took the view that any action
by him in the coal strike should not
be of the nature of a mere request
that a committee of the operators
and miners meet at the White
House and discuss with the Pres-
ident the differences which are keep-
ing them apart. In other words,
abortive action, especially if result-
ing in failure, might, it was hinted,
do more harm than good.

The Copeland resolution, prior to
passage just before noon yesterday,
was amended by inclusion of the
words "at such time as he thinks
best."

The resolution reads:
"Resolved, That the President be
requested to invite to the White
House at such time as he thinks
best the committee of operators and
miners in order that he may urge
upon them the national importance
of an immediate settlement of the
anthracite coal strike."

The Roll Call.

The roll-call was as follows:
For the resolution:
Republicans—Bingham, Brook-
hart, Butler, Cameron, Capper, Cum-
mins, Curtis, Deene, Frazier,
Hale, Howell, Johnson, La Follette,
Lenroot, McLean, Moses, Norbeck,
Norris, Nye, Oddie, Pepper, Reed,
of Pennsylvania; Robinson, of Indi-
ana; Shortridge, Weller, Willis—26.
Democrats—A. S. Hurst, Bayard,
Blease, Bratton, Broussard, Bruce.

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BOY, SLEEP-WALKING, FALLS THREE STORIES

George Brown, 14, Central
High Pupil, Narrowly
Escapes Death.

LANDS IN PILE OF SNOW

George Brown, 14 years old, a
pupil at Central high school, living
at 1867 Ontario place northwest,
had a narrow escape from death
last night. While walking in his
sleep, he fell from a third story
window in the rear of his home,
landing in a pile of snow on the
ground below.

The boy's parents, Oliver P. M.
Brown, a special counsel for the
U. S. Shipping board, and Mrs.
Brown, were celebrating their
twenty-second wedding anniversary.
A party of sixteen guests were
assembled.

George had retired early. Dressed
in his night robe he, sleeping,
arose from his bed and walked
across the room. A large window
facing the rear yard was open.

The boy is believed to have walked
to the window and stumbled through
the opening.

The guests heard the thump of
the boy's body as it landed in the
yard, and rushed to him. He was
placed in an automobile and hur-
ried to Emergency hospital.

Although a complete diagnosis
of the case was not made last night,
hospital physicians say he is suffer-
ing from shock, a fractured wrist
and a dislocated shoulder. They
will determine today whether or
not more serious injuries resulted.

MONTEVIDEO GREETES CROSS-OCEAN FLIERS

Franco and His Companions
Now Only 200 Miles
From Their Goal.

Montevideo, Uruguay, Feb. 9 (By
A. P.).—Four Spanish airmen—
Commander Franco, Capt. Ruiz de
Alda, Ensign Duran and Pablo
Rada, mechanic—King Alfonso's
ambassadors of the air, today com-
pleted another perilous lap of 1,200
miles in their flight from Spain to
Argentina, and now are less than
200 miles distant from their goal,
Buenos Aires.

One remarkable feature of this
great feat is the regularity with
which Commander Franco has held
to his prearranged program. Each
stage of the journey was covered
in almost the exact time fixed for
the distance.

The commander took the air at
Rio Janeiro at dawn to give his
machine a final test. The actual
start was made at 7:21. Com-
mander Franco made a successful
landing here at 7:25 this evening.
A tremendous hail greeted the
aviators.

Franco announced that he would
resume the flight to Buenos Aires
tomorrow afternoon.

SQUADRON LEADER SAYS AIR OFFICERS FACE "INQUISITION"

Lieut. Col. Schauffler As-
serts More Courts-
Martial Likely.

CHARGES CAMPAIGN
TO BEAT AERO CORPS

Fechet Tells Reservists That
Unit Is Five or Ten
Years Off Yet.

The general staff has just insti-
tuted an inquisition of the air ser-
vice, in which it may court-martial
and remove some of its oldest and
best officers in an effort to defeat
propaganda for an air corps, Lieut.
Col. W. G. Schauffler, commander
of the 304th pursuit squadron, de-
clared in an address at a meeting
of air service reserve officers in the
Graham building last night.

The main purpose of the perse-
cution will, he declared, for re-
serve officers throughout the
country, rallying about the United
States Air Force association, will
fight to the last ditch for the leg-
islation granting the separate corps.
It was charged that Maj. Gen.
Mason M. Patrick, chief of air ser-
vice, is in danger of being "broken."
Maj. H. H. Arnold, of his office,
faces a possible court-martial, and
several lesser officers may be as-
signed to undesirable stations as a
result of the investigation of af-
fairs in the service just ordered by
Secretary of War Davis.

Fechet for Air Corps.
These statements were made after
Brig. Gen. James E. Fechet, as-
sistant chief of air service, had told
the meeting that he believed in an
air corps, but did not see how it
could be established for five or ten
years, and had left the meeting.

Col. Schauffler's address was
greeted by loud applause.
"The inquisition has just start-
ed," Col. Schauffler said. "Some
of the oldest and best officers of
the service are threatened by re-
moval by G-2 of the general staff,
which is seeking to crush the fight
for the separate corps."

"The War Department has ex-
cused its inquisition of the air ser-
vice men who have enthusiastically
sought support for the air bill on
the ground that it was disloyal to
President Coolidge and his policies."

Disloyalty Is Denied.
"In the first place it was not
disloyal. Most of the fliers who
have been following this contro-
versy closely have been inspired in
their stand, encouraged in their
efforts by belief that President
Coolidge was squarely behind Gen.
Mitchell when he first started
'showing up' the general staff."

Gen. Mitchell is authority for that
belief. And certainly President
Coolidge, in his recent speeches
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19 BOYS ARE FLOGGED PUBLICLY IN COURT

"Baby Bandits" Punished by
Parents on Order of Okla-
homa Court.

Special to The Washington Post.
Miami, Okla., Feb. 9.—Nineteen
boys, ranging in age from 11 to
17, confessed members of "The
Milk Raiders" baby bandit gang,
were given public floggings in the
county courtroom here, on order
of W. Thomas, county judge. The
boys confessed to a series of petty
thefts and were given their choice
of a public whipping or sentence
to the State reformatory. The
judge supplied hickory sticks and
the parents did the flogging. Ad-
ditional punishment included sen-
tence to attend school every day,
make passing grades, attend Sun-
day school regularly and remain
at home each night after 6
o'clock.

Judge Thomas is a believer in
the movement fostered by Federal
Judge R. L. Williams, of Musko-
gee, for the return of the whip-
ping post as a punishment for
criminals.

Miss La Marr Leaves Only \$10,000 Estate

Los Angeles, Feb. 9 (By A. P.).
Barbara La Marr, film star, who
died recently, left an estate of less
than \$10,000. It was revealed here
today when a petition for letters
of administration were filed in be-
half of her father, William W. Wat-
son.

JURY HAS FATE



BABY IS KILLED, MOTHER
AND CHILD HURT IN CRASH

Auto Tragedy at 15th Street
and Pennsylvania Avenue
Eleventh in Year.

INQUEST CALLED TODAY

One-year-old Rosemary Corbey,
4117 Canal road northwest, was
killed last night in an automobile
collision, the eleventh traffic fatal-
ity this year. Her 3-year-old sis-
ter, Margaret, was probably seri-
ously injured, and her mother, Mrs.
Rose Corbey, was severely cut and
bruised.

The tragedy occurred at Fif-
teenth street and Pennsylvania ave-
nue northwest, shortly before 8
o'clock. The car in which the Cor-
bys were riding was driven by
Samuel Hill, Jr., real estate opera-
tor, 730 Seventeenth street north-
west, Mrs. Corbey's brother-in-law.
The other automobile was driven
by Norman M. Dettor, 34 years old,
307 Tennessee avenue northeast.

Hill, with the party which in-
cluded E. L. Ellis, Hill's father-in-
law, was en route in a sedan to
Providence hospital to see Mrs.
Hill, who is ill with the grippe.

At the intersection, police say,
Dettor's car crashed into the one
driven by Hill. The front fender
of the former car caught beneath
the running board of Hill's auto-
mobile, upsetting it.

The five occupants of the sedan,
amid splintering glass, were thrown
to the street. Traffic Policeman C.
A. McWilliams and Policeman Q. E.
Hyne, of the First precinct, were
the first to arrive at the scene.

They haled a passing taxicab, which
took to Emergency hospital the in-
jured.

Mrs. Charles B. Booth And Son Dead in China

Special to The Washington Post.
New York, Feb. 9.—Cable dis-
patches today from Shanghai,
China, reported the death of Mrs.
Charles Brandon Booth, wife of the
son of Gen. and Mrs. Ballington
Booth, heads of the Volunteers of
America, and the death of her
younger son, Carroll. Both died of
scarlet fever. A daughter, Audrey,
is recovering from the malady; the
dispatches said.

Mrs. Booth, whose husband is a
national field secretary of the Big
Brother and Big Sister Federation,
was known in professional life as
Tuomi Bailey. She had been in
Shanghai for some months, direct-
ing a motion picture to portray the
artistic side of Oriental life.

Evolution Is Barred In Atlanta Schools

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 9 (By A. P.).
The Atlanta board of education to-
night adopted a resolution de-
signed to prohibit teaching of evo-
lution in the city schools. The
vote was 6 to 2.

A committee was named to in-
vestigate charges that the evolution
theory is being promulgated in the
schools of Atlanta, and to apply
the new ruling to prevent such
teachings. An antievolution bill
failed in the last session of the
legislature.

Austin, Tex., Feb. 9 (By A. P.).
All references to the theory of evo-
lution were deleted from public
school text-books approved today
by the State text-book commission,
of which Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson
is chairman.

WAN JURY, UNABLE TO REACH VERDICT, LOCKED FOR NIGHT

Fails to Agree After Seven
Hours in Second Trial
of Chinese.

ACCUSED EXPECTED
SPEEDY ACQUITTAL

Both Sides Confident, Despite
Long Wrangle; Testimony
Assailed in Pleas.

The jury in the Wan murder trial
was locked up at 9:55 o'clock last
night after it had wrangled for
almost seven hours over a verdict.
Ziang Sun Wan, the defendant,
was taken back to the District jail
after the jury had announced its
failure to reach a verdict. He will
be back in criminal court this morn-
ing ready to hear his fate.

Wan, who is charged with killing
Ben Sen Wu, one of the three Chi-
nese who were murdered in the
Chinese educational mission here
January 29, 1919, gamely hid the
disappointment that must have been
his. He was so sure of a speedy
acquittal that he had his clothes
packed and ready for removal from
the jail.

Both Sides Confident.
The specter of a "hung" jury
arose last night as the hours wore
on and no announcement was forth-
coming. This would mean another
trial. Counsel for Wan, however,
were confident that a verdict of not
guilty would be ready when court
convenes this morning. Counsel
for the government were just as
confident that the verdict would be
one of guilty.

In Wan's first trial seven years
ago the jury found him guilty in
fifteen minutes. Five months later
he was sentenced to hang. Then the
United States Supreme Court
granted him the new trial which is
now about to conclude.

The jury was given the case yester-
day at 3:15 o'clock. Led by
Deputy Marshal W. J. Mullen, the
eleven white men and one colored
man filed out of the courtroom and
were taken to a closely guarded
room on the second floor. No ver-
dict had been reached at 6:20
o'clock and the jurors were taken
in a body to the St. James hotel for
dinner. They returned at 7:30
o'clock and made a fresh start in
their efforts to reach a verdict.

Reed Hears Arguments.
Senator James Reed,

BOARD OF EDUCATION ADVISES COMMITTEE AGAINST ELECTIONS

Members Intimate Granting of More Power Would Correct Evils.

BITTER FIGHTS FEARED FROM DISTRICTING PLAN

Growth of System for Past Five Years Is Cited in Letter to House.

There are very few communities in the country where the citizens, in proportion to their membership in various organizations, have as much influence and exercise as much indirect control over their schools as they do in Washington. The board of education yesterday reported to the House subcommittee considering the Gasque bill.

The view of the board as formulated in its recent secret meeting was forwarded by Secretary Harry O. Hine to Representative Frank R. Reid, chairman of the subcommittee.

Asserting that the members of the board were obviously not seeking to save their jobs inasmuch as they carried no salaries, the Gasque bill was disapproved because it seemed to be "letting go the substance to grasp at the shadow."

There was an intimation in the communication that the granting of more power to the board would be the better way to correct existing evils.

Racial Question Pointed To.

The Gasque bill would raise racial antagonisms, lessen the individual influence which those now interested in the schools have, and inject politics into the school system, the communication said.

In the first place, charging the board with supervision of the elections would so load it with work that it would have hardly anything else to do, it was said.

The plan of districting the city under the Gasque bill does not eliminate the danger of racial antagonism, the board said. "No plan of districting the city or limiting the franchise in a way to prevent the colored citizens from having the fullest suffrage should be tolerated," the board said.

And this Lambert sought to do. If Wan had been caught in the act, he said, so had some of the government's witnesses; what was sauce for the goose was sauce for the gander.

Lambert charged that the government's star witness, Dr. Kan Li, was just as open to suspicion in the triple murder as was Wan. It was Dr. Li who discovered the murder and who led the police to Wan's rooming house in New York the next day.

The testimony had shown that Dr. Li had an important message to deliver at the mission house. Lambert said, and he asked why it was that he had not gone there the day after the murder. In fact, he said, Dr. Li did not go to the mission house until an attaché from the Chinese legation had asked him to go there.

"Why didn't the attaché go there himself?" Lambert inquired. "Why did he have to ask Li to do it? And then when Li did go to the mission house, he found Dr. Wong protruding from a doorway, he turned and ran for a policeman. Why should he do this? Even then he was almost a practicing physician. Why should he be afraid of a corpse?"

"I don't accuse Dr. Li. He probably is as innocent as any of us. But these things don't jibe with common sense and human nature. We could weave a strand of evidence around him with just as much plausibility as we could around Wan."

United States Attorney Peyton Gordon, in his final argument, described Wan as an "assassin" and demanded that he be found guilty of the charge of murder. Although Wan was only charged with the

Wan, Awaiting Verdict, Laughs and Talks at Jail

With Guilt or Innocence Still to Be Determined, Chinese Student Appears Carefree—Seventh Anniversary of Imprisonment Tomorrow.

With his guilt or innocence of the murder of a brother countryman still to be determined by twelve jurors of an alien land, Ziang Sun Wan, Chinese student, returned to the District jail last night to await the outcome of their deliberations.

He entered the jail laughing and talking with his guards as he left the "Black Maria" which took him from the courthouse when the jury was locked up for the night a few minutes before 10 o'clock.

"You've had a strenuous day, haven't you; you must be tired?" jail officials greeted him.

"Yeah," Wan replied. "I'm tired."

Tomorrow will be the seventh anniversary of Wan's commitment to the District jail, and 9 o'clock has been his regular bed-time hour in conformity with the rules of the jail.

Last night, too, was the first time since his second trial began that Wan returned to the jail alone. Heretofore the trial has adjourned early enough for him to accompany other prisoners there.

Wan submitted with impressive docility to the search of his person made by jail guards before he was permitted to go to his cell.

"Do you want something to eat, a cup of coffee?" he was asked.

"No," he replied. "I had something to eat. I'm just sleepy."

Escorted to his cell he made ready for bed and almost immediately fell into an apparently untroubled sleep.

Although there was no intimation of the progress of the jury's deliberations last night and a forecast of their decision was impossible, should they find Wan guilty of murder in the first degree and he be sentenced to death a situation unprecedented in the history of District criminal law would be created.

Under the law Wan may not be sentenced to hang. Hanging was abolished as a means of capital punishment in the District and electrocution substituted. Congress appropriated funds to provide for purchase and installation of an electric chair, but after some consideration District officials declared the amount was inadequate and the District never has acquired an electric chair, and an appropriation for the purchase of one would have to be granted by Congress before Wan could be executed.

With abolition of capital punishment in the District already a matter of considerable agitation before Congress, the provision for such an appropriation would almost certainly be made the center of a determined fight.

COUNCIL CRITICIZED AS HEARING ISSUES FROM BUT ONE SIDE

Backing of Van Winkle Bill Brought Disfavor on Body, Members Declare.

MORE LIGHT INVITED ON GERRY MEASURE

Citizens' Representatives Vote Disapproval of Proposed Coal Regulation.

Widespread criticism of the citizens' advisory council for having approved Lieut. Mina Van Winkle's policewoman's bill after having heard only her side of the case was reported to the council at its meeting last evening by William S. Torbert and Charles A. Baker. It was followed by complaining against the action of the council at its last meeting in having heard William H. De Lacey, former judge of the juvenile court, in support of the Gerry bill to reorganize the children's court and having heard no one on two other bills on the same subject.

This was followed by a protest by Mr. Baker against the policy of the council in passing on large numbers of bills without holding hearings.

"We are likely to fall into errors in undertaking to reflect the judgment of the public of the District by voting on measures without getting information that is easily available."

Others Asked to Talk.

No change was made in the general policy and no one moved to reconsider the Van Winkle bill, but Mr. William T. Banerman, of the Congress of Parent-Teacher Associations, and Louis A. Simon, chairman of the committee on charities and corrections of the Federation of Citizens Association, were invited to speak at a meeting Saturday evening in opposition to the Gerry juvenile court bill and in favor of the Siddons bill.

"I am told virtually every woman's club in the city is opposed to the Van Winkle bill," said Mr. Torbert, "and that there is current criticism of the council for what it did."

The council voted to disapprove of the Senate bill to regulate coal dealers in the District, on recommendation of Mr. Baker. Jesse C. Suter, chairman of the council, who is also executive secretary of the Coal Merchants Board of Trade, remained in the chair during the discussion and voting.

Street Extension Opposed.

Extension of Quackenbos street to Sligo Mill road, which was disapproved yesterday by the commission, was approved by the council.

Mr. Torbert opposed the Woman's Bar association bill to amend the District laws to give women equal rights in the descent of property. He said the bill "would do no useful purpose except to gratify its proponents."

Councilmen Suter, Stull, Wales and Swanton took issue with him and further consideration was deferred until Saturday evening.

The council recommended the bill to serve Arlington county, Va., with District water, but asked that it be amended to let the commission instead of the Secretary of War control the rates and other matters. The bill for the National Capital park and planning commission was approved, with drastic amendments. Acquisition of property in the Union station plaza to extend the Capitol grounds was approved. Amendment of the bill to extend Fourteenth street through the Walter Reed hospital reservation to let all kinds of traffic use the new part of the street was urged.

Mr. Havener moved to endorse the Capper bill for an elective board of education. His motion was referred to a committee consisting of himself, Harry N. Stull and George T. Beason.

Citizens' Bodies to Plan Improvement Programs

Representatives of six citizens' associations south and east of the Anacostia river will meet this evening at the home of George C. Havener to draw up a five-year program of proposed improvements for their sections. The following are the associations: Benning, Anacostia, Kenilworth, East Washington, Congress Heights and Randle Highlands.

The East Washington Heights Citizens Association last night nominated Mr. Havener for reelection to the citizens' advisory council, being the third organization to place him in the running.

Burleith Citizens to Ask Extended Bus Line Service

A petition will be filed with the public utilities commission requesting that it amend its decision in the case of the Burleith bus line, stipulating that the increase in fare granted the Washington Railway & Electric Co. be on condition that the line be extended and the schedule improved, under a resolution passed by the Burleith Citizens association last night.

The association, meeting in Tabor M. P. church, expressed disappointment at the action of the commission. The stand of the association is that it is willing to pay the increased fare if it can get satisfactory service.

The schedule is declared unsatisfactory during rush hours, while the night schedule of a bus every half hour is entirely inadequate for a growing community. It was declared that the line should also be extended, it was said, preferably to Twelfth street and Maryland avenue northeast, but at least to the Capitol and Union station.

The association approved the plan to join the Cathedral Heights Citizens association under a "delegation" membership appointed by the association. Robert Heid presided.

Burville Citizens Oppose Children's School Change

Sending of twelve children from Burville school to Deanwood and Smothers schools was protested at a meeting of the Northeast Suburban Citizens association last night in the Burville school. A committee was appointed to appear before the board of education to obtain immediate relief from a congested condition at the school, which has an excess of 130 pupils. An additional portable building was requested.

The association voted against the Gasque school bill in its entirety. It also voted to press the matter of erection of an addition to the Burville building at a point south of the school, rather than to the rear as favored by the board of education. A committee was appointed to wait upon the District commissioners in reference to street repairs. Dr. J. A. Foster presided.

\$4,000,000 as Minimum Urged for Schools Annually

Declaration in favor of a minimum annual appropriation of \$4,000,000 for rebuilding of the District public schools was made last night by the Park View Citizens association, meeting in the Park View school. The association pledged its membership to work with other associations for the appropriations.

A plan for the schools was delayed by District officials pending the outcome of efforts by association members to secure release of adjoining land to permit increasing the size of the school. It was announced at the meeting that the conditions will be investigated by the association.

Barry Farms Body Favors R. R. Horner for City Judge

R. R. Horner was endorsed for judgeship on the municipal court by the Barry Farms Citizens association at a meeting last night in St. John's church. Anastasia Hoffman, for 11 years its president, as its candidate for membership on the legislative advisory council for the April elections.

The public schools committee, Mrs. Etta Hawkins, chairman, was directed to attend hearings on the Gasque bill, the association being in record for appointment of members of the board of education by the District Commissioners.

METROPOLITAN CLASS HAS ANNUAL BANQUET

Stories, Music and Inspirational Talks Mark Gathering of Baraca Group.

Funny stories, appeals to seek for the inspiration of Christian ideals, and a program of music marked the fifteenth annual banquet of the Men's Baraca class of the Metropolitan Baptist church, Sixth and A streets northwest, in the church hall last night.

Among the story tellers were Representative B. G. Lowrey, of Mississippi; Representative A. H. Greenwood, of Indiana, associate teachers; Roe Fulkerson, who made the principal address; the Rev. S. B. Daugherty, pastor of the United Brethren church, and Emmanuel B. Shaver, class teacher.

The Rev. Thomas Brown pronounced the invocation. The Rev. John Compton Ball, pastor, delivered an address of welcome. The Rev. Quirio Harlan pronounced the benediction. Longhorn Thompson sang. Women members of the church, under the direction of Mrs. M. E. Gravatte, assisted by Mrs. E. B. Shaver and Mrs. J. O. Peed, prepared the banquet.

PERSHING IN KEY WEST: TO ENTER WALTER REED

General Silent on Tacna-Arica Situation Until He Makes Report in Capital.

CONDITION IS CALLED BAD

Key West, Fla., Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—Gen. John J. Pershing arrived here today aboard the cruiser Denver en route to Washington, D. C., to report on the situation in the Tacna-Arica plebiscitary commission. He departed early tonight for Washington.

Gen. Pershing appeared to be in very poor health, but said that his condition was "fair" and declined to discuss reports that ill health had prompted his resignation in South American boundary disputes and his immediate return to the United States.

"I am not on the sick list," he said, "but I suppose my health for the past few months would entitle me to be except for the fact that I have not been on active military duty. It is true that I have been under my physician's care. I intend to enter the Walter Reed hospital on my return to Washington, but I can't say how long I'll stay there."

This statement was made after Maj. John G. Queckemeyer, Gen. Pershing's aid, had characterized the general's condition as "bad." He was said to have kept below decks during the entire journey here except for brief intervals during clear days, when he walked about ship.

Elaborate ceremonies marked the arrival of the former A. E. F. chieftain, Maj. Gen. Harry Hale, U. S. A., retired, commander of the "Yankee Division" in the world war. Lieut. Comdr. F. B. Baily, U. S. N., acting commandant here, Capt. C. N. Muldrow, of the U. S. M. C., and other high officials extended welcome to Gen. Pershing.

After a brief chat with his visitors, Gen. Pershing appeared to be in poor health, but said that his condition was "fair" and declined to discuss reports that ill health had prompted his resignation in South American boundary disputes and his immediate return to the United States.

BOY, SERIOUSLY HURT BY AUTO, WALKS HOME

Thomas Landeck, Suffering From Concussion of Brain, Then Collapses.

Suffering from concussion of the brain, the apparent victim of a "hit and run" driver, Thomas Landeck, 8 years old, son of Frank C. Landeck, apartment 804, McMillan building, walked a block from the scene of his injury, rode up eight floors in an elevator and collapsed on the floor of his home Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Reaching consciousness yesterday morning, he told his parents he had been struck by a truck while crossing Ninth street near Grant place. He got up and walked home, but his memory of the accident is still confused. The family has notified the police who are seeking to learn the identity of the driver.

The boy left his home Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock to go to a store for a package of tea. He returned a half hour later in a dazed condition, covered with mud and blood, his body a mass of bruises. He had brought back the tea. Dr. Edward Pickford was called and found his most serious injury a brain concussion. His condition last night was still serious.

Friendship of Papers Is Sought by Blanton

Representative Blanton, in a speech before the Associated Retail Credit Men at their Valentine banquet in the oak room of the Raleigh hotel last night, said that he intended to remain in Washington until he was the friend of all the newspapers in the city.

New officers presided at the banquet for the first time. They were David Sanger, of Phillipsborn & Co., president; John W. Tallentire, of the Hecht Co., vice president, and Louis S. Grigsby, assistant secretary. The secretary-treasurer, Stephen H. Talbot, was absent.

The association endorsed the Blanton bill for providing uniforms for firemen and policemen.

Woman, Snow-Blinded, Is Injured by Auto

Blinded by the heavy snowstorm last night, Miss Margaret Ward, 45 years old, 78 V street northwest, was knocked down by an automobile driven by Charles H. Richmond, 1000 Taylor street northeast, at First and U streets northwest.

Mr. Richmond drove Miss Ward to Sibley hospital, where her condition was pronounced serious, although her life was said not to be in danger. Mr. Richmond then reported to the Eighth precinct police station, where the brakes of his car were tested and found to be satisfactory. He was released.

From the AVENUE at NINTH



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LIEUT. VAN WINKLE URGES POLICE BILL
Asks Hebrew Congregation Brotherhood to Support Her Bureau Support.
Pleading for public support of the bill designed to give her additional powers as head of the woman's bureau of the police department, Lieut. Mina C. Van Winkle last night addressed the Brotherhood of the Washington Hebrew Congregation, meeting in the Eighth Street temple.
Mrs. Van Winkle explained the bill in detail, declaring she had not been "muzzled" by the city authorities. Commissioner Penning, Mrs. Van Winkle stated had given her the impression that she was at liberty to lobby for the measure.
Brief addresses were delivered by Mrs. Harry G. Levy, president of the Junior Council of Jewish Women, and Mrs. Leonard Schloss, president of the Council of Jewish Women. A monologue was given by Ernest Glickman, and there was singing by Mrs. Herman Shapiro, accompanied by Mrs. Schloss. Joseph A. Dreyfuss was in charge of the Hebrew Congregation meeting in

Turkish blend, yes—like many another in kind, but in character, never

FATIMA

5 BANDITS TRAPPED BY POSSES; 2 SHOT, OTHERS SURRENDER

Battle Follows Spectacular
Flight of Quintet Across
Mississippi River.

TWO WERE DELIVERED
FROM COURT OFFICER

Had Just Been Sentenced
When Liberated by Their
Three Companions.

Chadwick, Ill., Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—One bandit is dead, one is wounded and three others are in custody after a gun fight near here today. The quintet, including Alfred Fairfield and Frank Sawyer, had attempted to shoot their way through a posse. Fairfield and Sawyer were fleeing after an escape from two Clinton, Iowa, deputy sheriffs this morning. The gun fight terminated a spectacular flight across the Mississippi river from Clinton, Iowa, where three confederates of Fairfield and Sawyer held two deputy sheriffs while the prisoners rode away in an automobile.

The two were being returned to

DIED

BECK—On Monday, February 8, 1926, at his residence, The Dunes, AUGUST, son of Anna Beck.

BULLOCK—On Tuesday, February 9, 1926, at his residence, 2200 Twenty-fifth street northwest, EDWARD BULLOCK, wife of Dr. Joseph Bulluck, and mother of Joseph C. and Gordon Bulluck.

CHILDS—On Saturday, February 6, 1926, at his residence, 521 Tenth street southeast, JAMES, beloved husband of Marie Childs (nee Hays), and father of three children.

DICKEY—On Monday, February 8, 1926, at his residence, 412 First street southeast, WILLIAM D. DICKER, husband of Mrs. D. C. Dicker.

HAYS—On Monday, February 8, 1926, at his residence, 512 Tenth street southeast, FANNIE L. HAYS, wife of William H. Hays.

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MUSSOLINI THREAT SCOUTED BY BERLIN. STRESEMANN SAYS

Italian Premier Arrogant and
His Argument Weak, Is
German Reply.

WARNING TO BAVARIAN
OFFICIAL IS RESENTED

Central Government Alone Is
Responsible for Its For-
eign Policy.

Berlin, Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—The German government must decline to reply to Premier Mussolini in a tone which is better suited to mass meetings than to diplomatic conversation with other nations. Foreign Minister Stresemann made this declaration in the Reichstag today in opening his reply to Saturday's broadcast from the Italian premier regarding the situation in South Tyrol.

"We have no quarrel with the Italian people, who, according to Mussolini's own words, written in 1920, have no interests incompatible with the Germans," Dr. Stresemann continued. "German-Italian difficulties, as Mussolini then stated, always were due to misunderstanding and distrust—conditions of mind, rather than conflicting economic or political interests."

Their Interest Only Cultural.

Going back to the genesis of the South Tyrol problem, the foreign minister pointed out that the Italian government, before the advent of the fascists, and also the king, had promised the inhabitants freedom of language, religion and culture. He insisted that Germany had no political interest in the problem but merely a cultural one.

Deplored what he termed irresponsible newspaper utterances, and the unauthorized attempt by a small group of Munich business men to inaugurate a boycott of Italy, he stated that the government was unalterably opposed to such "childish" measures and was concerned in maintaining the best relations with Germany's neighbors.

He characterized Premier Mussolini's speech as "filled with arrogance, contradictions and vehemence which attempt to hide the inner weakness of his argument."

He insisted that Mussolini, who had accepted German hospitality earlier in his career, and now derided German tourists, was ungrateful.

Resents Reply to Bavaria.

Holding it unfair that Mussolini had replied to Premier Heug of Bavaria without awaiting the official text of his speech regarding South Tyrol, he also insisted that the federal government alone was responsible for the German foreign policy.

Amid derisive laughter from the nationalist and communist deputies Dr. Stresemann said: "Threats are incompatible with the spirit of the League of Nations." When the laughter was continued he repeated the sentence emphatically.

"Incidents such as this show more clearly than ever the need for a league, where those who desire peaceful progress can unite," he declared, adding that, were Germany already a member of the league she would take Mussolini's speech there for discussion.

Summing up Germany's attitude, the foreign minister said:

"In the name of the government I scout these threats."

The speech was delivered with little show of emotion, and it elicited only sporadic applause.

Two Views Held in Rome.

Rome, Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—How much fascist Italy depends upon public utterances of government officials and of newspapers was never better illustrated than tonight when the text of the speech of Gustav Stresemann, the German foreign minister, arriving at the newspapers had gone to press and the ministries had closed, evoked two almost opposite currents of opinion.

One section among those congregated by the thousands in the newspaper offices, cafes and other meeting places of politicians, maintained that the Stresemann address, by

completely recognizing Italian sovereignty in the Upper Adige, had "closed the incident."

The other faction, which apparently was more numerous, sided with the fascist views, characterizing the speech as "a direct further affront, which Mussolini knows how to answer."

The extremists are violently indignant over the suggestion of "Adige as a German cultural protectorate," maintaining that Germany must back down further on the issue of interfering with Italy's domestic sovereignty.

Sunday Blue Law

Cases Dismissed

Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—R. R. Roanover, justice of the peace, this afternoon dismissed warrants against fifteen heads of business, including the two newspaper managers, who were charged with violating the ancient Sunday blue law. The magistrate held that civil action instead of criminal action should have been taken in the cases. The action does not affect the filing station test case which was sent to the criminal court Monday. The warrants in the several cases were sworn out last Sunday by Attorney George W. Hight.

Gov. Small Must Make

Accounting for Funds

Illinois Supreme Court, for

Second Time, Decides

Against Rehearing.

\$1,100,000 IS AT STAKE

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—The Illinois supreme court for the second time today decided that Gov. Len Small must render an accounting for about \$1,100,000 in interest money the State claims he collected while State treasurer.

The court today denied a rehearing in the suit brought by the State, as had been asked for by the governor. As a result of the action today some authorities believed outer proceedings a possibility for the future although they agreed that they were premature now.

Gov. Small's attorneys maintained there is no ground for impeachment proceedings. Through his lawyers the governor himself issued a statement denying that he had withheld any money from the State while serving as State treasurer.

By reaffirming its original opinion, the supreme court held Gov. Small accountable for interest on \$30,000,000 of loans and re-loans alleged withdrawn from the State treasury while he was State treasurer in 1915 and 1919.

The opinion held that he had accounted for none of it.

The interest suit started in the circuit court of Sangamon county at Springfield. It now will be returned there for a finding of a master in chancery on the accounting.

3 Enemies of Calles

Face Firing Squads

San Antonio, Tex., Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—Three more executions of persons hostile to the Calles government have taken place in Mexico. R. Esparza Martinez, Mexican political refugee, said here last night.

He listed Eudora Gonzales, large land proprietor of the state of Michoacan; Gilberto Chavez Alcaraz, of Sayula, state of Jalisco, and Dr. Francisco Rodriguez Betancourt as men who faced firing squads recently. Martinez is said to be a Calles sympathizer. His records recently were seized by the department of justice.

Mexicans Ask Racial

Equality in Texas

San Antonio, Tex., Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson has been petitioned to put a ban on racial discrimination against Mexicans.

Allegando P. Carrillo, consul general of Mexico at San Antonio, who was denied service Sunday in a protest growing out of the affair, which he referred to as a "shameful discrimination," Carrillo and Mexican conferees of Granger tried to get dinner at a restaurant and were invited to eat in the kitchen.

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LEAGUE ECONOMIC PLAN TO BE DRAWN IN GENEVA

Call Seen as an Indication of
Belief Swiss Proposal Will
Appease Soviet.

LAST OFFER BY BERNE

Geneva, Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—The League of Nations announced today that the first meeting of the preparatory commission for its international economic conference would be held at Geneva April 26.

This is the first definite news that the meeting will be held in Geneva, there having been uncertainty on this point since Russia announced that she would attend the league's gathering only if they were held outside of Switzerland.

The announcement of this date and place is regarded here as expressing the conviction of league officials that the controversy between Russia and Switzerland will be adjusted, thus eliminating Moscow's objections.

The Swiss federal government at Berne tonight published a summary of what it calls its final proposal to the soviet government concerning the assassination of the soviet envoy, Vorovsky, at Lausanne May 10, 1923. The Berne government, however, explained that although this proposal is considered final it does not necessarily close the interchange, since nothing has been heard in reply from Moscow.

Through an intermediary channel Switzerland has told Russia that she is prepared to declare that she

regrets and condemns the assassination of Vorovsky, as she has at all times past, and is disposed to examine the question of financial assistance for Vorovsky's daughter on condition that this is discussed together with Swiss claims against Russia growing out of the bolshevik revolution.

It is understood that the French government is using its good offices with Moscow in an attempt to secure an agreement.

Blinded by Wife, Man

Tries to Blind Her

New York, Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—Charged with an attempt to practice the ancient Mosaic law of an eye for an eye, Isidore Meyerson, of Brooklyn, accused of attempting to blind his wife by throwing acid in her eyes, was paroled today for a hearing. Meyerson, who is blind, declared he lost his sight two years ago, as a result of acid thrown into his eyes by his wife.

Mrs. Meyerson is in a hospital, where physicians said her eyes were badly burned, but that she would not lose her sight.

Mayor J. J. Walker

Must Remain in Bed

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—To guard against the possibility of pneumonia Mayor James J. Walker, of New York city, today was ordered to remain in bed at the Hotel Ten Eyck. He had come here to urge the legislature to favor extension of New York city's bond indebtedness limit to permit further subway work. He has a slight attack of bronchitis but his illness is not serious, his physician said.

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"Roxy" Buys Library Of Victor Herbert

New York, Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—S. L. Rothafel, radio entertainer, known as "Roxy," has purchased the entire musical library of the late Victor Herbert. It was an-

nounced today. The library contains Herbert's own melodies, symphonies, scores, orchestrations, classic and light comedy music. Mr. Rothafel announced that the collection would form a nucleus for the library for his new theater, now being built here. The collection was purchased from Ella Herbert, daughter of the composer.



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GUIDED BY HOUSE, WILSON SELECTS AMERICAN ENVOYS

Picks Walter Hines Page for Court of St. James and James W. Gerard for Berlin—How Houston Finally Found Out That He Was Really a Member of Wilson's Cabinet.

INTIMATE PAPERS OF COL. HOUSE

INSTALLMENT XI.

THE close of the first legislative session of the Wilson administration was a season of triumph for the Democratic party. Two of the major problems have been met with a steady and settled principle at least, to the satisfaction of the nation. Nothing is more strange than the chain of circumstances which finally brought President Wilson to play a role of supreme importance in the affairs of the world, and to center his whole being upon a policy of international service. At the beginning of his political career, and even during his first two years as President, diplomatic questions were of far less interest for him than his legislative program.

For Col. House foreign problems were always of the first interest and importance. On June 24, 1915, he wrote: "To my mind, the President has never appreciated the importance of our foreign policy and has laid undue emphasis upon domestic affairs. I thoroughly approved his attitude to the end of the session of Congress; when the tariff, banking and such other measures were involved."

"April 18, 1912: I told Mr. Bryan," recorded House, "of my conversation with the President regarding the question of keeping consuls under the civil service. . . . The President stated that he would hold to Roosevelt's executive order in regard to consuls. I thought it was a very wise move, and I argued strongly and eloquently for his position. I remained quiet, for my sympathy is with the President's policy, even though it keeps some of our very good friends from their desires."

"January 16, 1914: We discussed the President's civil service views. House wrote of a later conversation with the Secretary of State, which, of course, do not agree with Mr. Bryan's. I can see some feeling developing between them. . . . In the question of patronage, Mr. Bryan has no patience with the civil service. He said the President told him I had recommended —, and the President desired to appoint him. Mr. Bryan said: 'You can do as you please, but I am certain — is one of those supercilious persons who will be constantly looking down upon me.'"

Helped Name Diplomats.

When it came to the more important diplomatic appointments, Wilson appealed constantly to House for information and advice. At one moment the President commissioned him to discover an applicant's attitude on religion, as he was being considered for China, and the President wanted to know whether or not he was an orthodox Christian. (This interest upon the part of Mr. Wilson was dictated by Mr. Bryan's insistence that none but an orthodox Christian should be appointed as Minister to China.)

House undertook the delicate task, and the following day put the presumptive candidate through an examination on religious principles. "He did not seem to have any worth while," recorded the colonel, and the appointment was not made.

"For the court of St. James, Wilson expressed himself as anxious to find a man who could continue the traditions established by Adams, Bayard and Hay."

"March 24, 1914: We first took up foreign appointments. House noted of a later conversation with Mr. Wilson. 'He thought that Walter Page was about the best man left for Ambassador to Great Britain. I was not only the first to suggest Page for this post, but, since Elliot and Olney declined it, I have advocated him earnestly. He asked if I thought Page would take it. I assured him that he would and promised to find out definitely tomorrow.'"

"We discussed a great number of other people for foreign appointments. . . . I thought Thomas Nelson Page should have Italy, and he agreed."

"March 26, 1913: I called up (Walter) Page and said, 'Good morning, your excellency!' He wanted to know what it meant. I replied it meant a great deal. He seemed quite agitated and asked whether I was not joking. I replied that I was not, for the President had authorized me to ask him if he would accept the ambassadorship to the court of St. James. We arranged for him to call at 4:30."

"Page arrived promptly. He was excited over the news I had conveyed. He asked me to tell him exactly how it happened. I told him I had suggested his name to the President two months ago. I had talked to the President from time to time on the matter, and when I dined with him on Tuesday he had authorized me to find whether he, Page, would accept."

"He was immensely pleased with the compliment, but seemed doubtful as to his ability to fill the place. It was so entirely different from anything he had previously done."

Page Accepts Post.

"March 28, 1913: Walter Page telephoned around 9 o'clock: 'I have decided to turn my face toward the east,' which meant he would accept the post to Great Britain. I congratulated him and expressed my pleasure. He wished to know the next move, I told him I would notify the President, and that he would write him a formal note offering him the ambassadorship."

"I called up the President at Washington a little after 2 to tell of Page's acceptance. He replied, 'That is fine; I am very glad.' He promised to write him at once."

"March 29, 1913: Walter Page and Secretary Houston came to dinner and we had a delightful time. Houston and I tried to make Page feel happy in his new field of endeavor. He seemed fearful lest he might not be able to maintain him-

PRESIDENT'S POLICY ON COAL UNALTERED BY SENATE ACTION

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Caraway, Copeland, Dill, Ferris, George, Gerry, Harris, Harrison, Heflin, Kendrick, McKellar, Neely, Overman, Ransdell, Sheppard, Simmons, Smith, Stephens, Swanson, Trammell, Tyson, Walsh—28. Farm-Labor—Shipstead—1. Total—55.

Against the resolution: Republicans—Borah, Couzens, Dale, Edge, Ernst, Fernald, Fess, Gillett, Goff, Jones, of Washington; McKinley, Metcalf, Whipp, Pine, Sackett, Smoot, Wadsworth, Warren, Williams—19.

Democrats—Glass, King—2. Total—21. Curtis Withdraws Opposition.

In explanation of the decisive vote for the resolution, it was said that Senator Curtis, the Republican leader, had withdrawn his opposition and that Senator Reed, of Pennsylvania, by urging that the resolution be disposed of to make way for the tax bill, had paved the way for Republican support.

"From this, however, it is known that many senators, especially those in New York and New England, had been receiving many messages depicting the increasing suffering and distress due to shortage of coal."

The two Democratic senators opposing the resolution, Senators Glass and King, were not willing to go on record in favor of requesting the President to do what they believe is a futile thing. On the other hand, there are some senators who really believe that a mere gesture by the President, such as the White House invitation to the miners and operators, might achieve results. It could in any event do no harm, they argue. This, in some instances, was the controlling consideration in voting for the resolution.

Reed Changes Text.

The resolution was introduced by Senator Copeland on February 3. There were two votes on it last week with a pronounced drift of sentiment toward adoption. On Saturday the Democratic steering committee decided to support it. Yesterday, Senator Curtis, the Republican leader, decided to support it in order that time might be given for consideration of the tax bill.

Senator Reed, of Pennsylvania, then asked if Mr. Copeland would consider an amendment leaving the President to decide upon the time for the calling of the White House conference of miners and operators. "Of course I would accept that," replied Senator Copeland, "because it is only right that we should be courteous to the President. We do not want to be too hasty, and of course he would have to figure them when he thought best even if we should pass this resolution."

"This is a mere appeal to him," said Senator Reed. "To make an appeal to some very silly and weak man, no power and he has no power. He can't compel anything. At the same time this resolution has been generally discussed and the people who are in despair throughout the mining region have come to think that there is some sort of remedy for their difficulties which is being withheld from them."

"It is not helpful to the President," said Reed. "The President is not a dictator. He cannot compel anything. At the same time this resolution has been generally discussed and the people who are in despair throughout the mining region have come to think that there is some sort of remedy for their difficulties which is being withheld from them."

"April 12, 1913: The dinner to the French Ambassador, M. Jusserand, was interesting. I talked with Senator Lodge. He wants a man from Nahant retained in the Boston custom house, and I promised to try to arrange it if he were competent."

"April 29, 1913: Justice Gerard came to see me about his chances for ambassadorial honors. I thought they were slight, but they were better now than they had been. He laughed and said, 'I do not believe that until recently I had any chances at all.' That, I replied, was true. I told him, furthermore, that McCombs and Morganthau were given foreign appointments, that five out of the nineteen major places would have gone to New York, which was out of all proportion to her share. He saw the point. He did not want to be appointed."

"September 29, 1913: X is sitting on the dormat again. Rumors that McCombs is not to take the ambassadorship to France have started his hopes afresh."

The colonel's correspondence with Gerard at Berlin and Walter Page at London was voluminous. "I told Gerard," recorded House, "that he would get very meager information from the State Department concerning the happenings in administration circles, and I promised to keep him measurably well posted in order that he might suffer without embarrassment from the Kaiser or the minister for foreign affairs. In turn he said he would write me every ten days."

Ambassador Gerard to House.

Berlin, November 4, 1913.

My Dear Colonel:

Now that I have presented my letters to the Kaiser, I have something to report. . . . The Kaiser has permitted me to wear ordinary clothes, which is a great relief. I am now better off than Page, who has to wear knickers to court functions."

Before seeing the Kaiser I called on the imperial chancellor, Von Bethmann-Hollweg—a very tall, pleasant, Abraham Lincoln sort of man. He is one of the few officials who do not speak English, but we got on very well in French and some German. The minister for foreign affairs is away, but his substitute, Zimmermann, is a very jolly sort of large German who was once a judge, which made us friends at once."

We must have made a wonderful sight when we were presented to the Kaiser; they sent the royal carriage for us, with footmen standing behind in powdered wigs, outriders, &c., though we looked rather dismal in our dress suits. In the class carriages we must have looked like a funeral. The Kaiser is a much more majestic-looking man than I expected. . . . We mostly talked business and sport, and he asked why we didn't have an embassy building in Berlin and he congratulated me on at last housing the embassy in a decent house. When I presented the staff to him he asked why we did not all ride in the Tiergarten, and I told him we would challenge any embassy in Berlin to a much more majestic-looking man than I expected. . . . We mostly talked business and sport, and he asked why we didn't have an embassy building in Berlin and he congratulated me on at last housing the embassy in a decent house. 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ROSA RAISA GIVEN OVATION IN TITLE ROLE OF 'LA TOSCA'

Change in Program Follows
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CHICAGO COMPANY WINS
BRILLIANT AUDIENCE

Prima Donna Is Appearing in
Dramatic Portrayal of
Tragic Character.

Rosa Raisa, prima donna of the Chicago Civic Opera company, proved herself a great artist anew at the auditorium last night. On only a few hours' notice of change of program from Verdi's "Otello" to Puccini's "Tosca," she opened her presentation of the series of operas here this week, she sang the exacting title role in a manner which won her a storm of ovations.

The audience had come prepared to hear "Otello," when the manager of the Chicago Civic Opera company appeared before the footlights and announced that owing to the illness of Charles Marshall, who was to have sung "Otello," "Tosca" was to be substituted.

The announcement was made that because of the change of program a special performance of the company will be given Friday afternoon at the auditorium of "Martha" when all seat coupons presented from last night's audience would be honored. Cheers greeted this announcement. The cast of "Martha" will be announced today.

Audience Is Notable.
The brilliant audience of last night included official, diplomatic and resident society. The scene in the boxes and orchestra of beautifully gowned and jeweled women and distinguished escorts fully vindicated the judgment of Mrs. Wilson (Mrs. Woodson) of guarantors that Washington really wants and appreciates grand opera.

The opera was sung in Italian, the native tongue of the prima donna, which added greatly to her facility. At all times she was adequate vocally and histrionically as well. Her glorious voice was handled with consummate art and not only did she sing the difficult score in a masterly manner, but she injected into her portrayal of the hapless Tosca an artistry and dramatic fire which held the audience spellbound as she wrestled with the fate which linked her to the despicable Scarpia.

An appealing figure in her role, the prima donna was original in her interpretation of this great role, bringing out its full need of tragedy and romance and at the same time not sacrificing either musical or dramatic demands. Her agility in execution is unusual in a dramatic soprano.

Her big change came, of course, in the second act where in the torture scene she rose to great heights of operatic art, particularly in the famous song "Vissi d'Arte." Tosca was exquisitely done. Unlike Jeritza and Mary Garden, she did not sing this in a prone position.

In the dramatic ending of this scene, when Tosca killed Scarpia, Rosa Raisa was a great actress as well as singer. Tense with emotion, beautiful in her despair, the picture was one to linger in the minds of opera goers.

The prima donna had the great advantage of a Mario Cavallotti in Antonio Corbis, who is a tenor of rare promise. He had the appearance, the voice and the dramatic instinct necessary for this role, which is often overshadowed by that of Baron Scarpia, but last night this did not hold true.

Giacomo Rimini, as Baron Scarpia, did well but lacked some of the finesse due to this part. A certain allowance should be made, however, for him because he was probably worn from his sudden singing of that role in Baltimore the night before without advance notice when "Fitts" Ruffo was withdrawn from the cast because of illness.

Desire Defere as The Sacristan combined with his vocal work a considerable amount of humor. The part of Angelotti, the escaped prisoner, was adequately taken by Antonio Nicolich, who presented his part well, making clear his natural state of excitement.

Moranzoni Proves a Master.
Robert Moranzoni, conductor of last night's opera, is an authority on the Puccini operas, and the orchestral work was effectively done. He gave an illuminating reading of the score and the music was brought out beautifully by the Chicago Civic Opera orchestra, which has been rightly called an "orchestra of virtuosi."

The men responded to their chief as one man and all the great orchestral effects were given due prominence. Seldom has Washington heard as beautiful a chorus as the ensemble of the company presented last night in the cathedral their singing of the Te Deum was a vocal symphony. The opera was handsomely costumed.

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turned and mounted and ran with a smoothness and lack of delays which spoke worlds for the management of the company.

The other principals of the cast, Lodovico Oliviero as Spoletta, Ernesto Torti, Sarrone, Anna Correnti, a shepherd, and Gildo Morelato, a jailer, all reflected well on the organization.

Tonight's performance will be "Loulou," Charpentier's four-act romance, with Mary Garden in the title role, supported by Georges Baklanoff, the Russian baritone, and Fernand, the great French tenor, heard for the first time in Washington. E. E. P.

NEGRO HISTORY WEEK PRAISED AS BENEFICIAL

Race Took Step Forward in
Setting Aside Period for
Study, Wilkinson Says.

OTHERS ADDRESS OPENING

"The negro of the country took a step forward in his schools everywhere, when he set aside a week for consideration of details of his own history as written by negro specialists," Garnet C. Wilkinson, first assistant superintendent in charge of colored schools, asserted yesterday when he opened a teachers' celebration of "negro history week" in the auditorium of the Dunbar High school. The meeting was called as an expression of interest in a nation-wide movement.

Carter G. Woodson, director of the association for study of negro history, spoke of the negro in his native African habitat. He said that there had contributed to the world the cultivation of millet, the domestication of the cow, and the smelting of iron. On these, he said, modern civilization is projected.

Alston Burleigh, teacher of music, the son of Harry T. Burleigh, composer, spoke on the contribution of the negro to music as creative rather than imitative, and as American rather than African or European. He predicted a new artistic era for the negro in this field.

What he characterized as myths—that the negro has played his principal part in America as a slave, and that he has been the recipient of liberty without making obligations, several H. Thomas said. It was essential for teachers to eradicate from their students all idea of "inferiority" of race which they may have gained from study of extant texts, and to present to them historical material which would develop manhood and self-respect.

A bibliography of negro history, Mr. Wilkinson stated, was available for all public schools. He suggested teacher collaboration with writers of history texts, and expressed the conviction that the time was ripe for introduction of history of the negro race in the course of study of the public schools.

Musical numbers were furnished by Miss Mary Europe.

Newman to Receive Students' Cup Sunday

Capt. Arthur C. Newman, former principal of the Armstrong High school, will be presented with the students' trophy, given by the student body, at a special meeting in the Lincoln theater Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

The idea of presenting a trophy to Capt. Newman was conceived by Robert T. Murray, a freshman, who will present the cup. Principal speakers will be Manning Johnson, Mayor of Washington, and Arnold Scott. Rufus B. Turner will act as presiding officer.

Mission Gets \$4,968 First Day of Drive

The first day of the drive for funds for the Central Union mission netted \$4,968. E. H. DeGroot, general campaign manager, reported at a luncheon of the soliciting teams at the City club yesterday.

Of the 44 teams seeking funds, 19 reported on results of their first day of work. The team headed by P. W. Cockrell led with a total of \$1,116, and the second highest score, \$1,085, was reported by the team headed by John S. Bennett, superintendent of the mission. Seventy-nine team members attended the luncheon. Another luncheon of team members will be held at the City club at 12:30 o'clock today.

BIBLE CLASS TO GIVE PLAY.

Foundation Memorial Church Group
to Give Social Friday.

The adult Bible class of the Fountain Memorial Baptist church, Naylor and Q streets southeast, will give a play, "Not Quite Such a Goose," and social in the church Friday night.

Mrs. M. Freeman is in charge of the social. Mrs. Fern Shoemaker has directed the play. The social is open to everybody. The Rev. W. J. Hubbard, pastor, has announced. Those who will appear in the play are Audrey Shoemaker, Norman Shoemaker, Mrs. Gertrude Kolb, Virginia Allison, Vernon Robbins and Miss Ruth Hubbard.

BABY DIES, TWO HURT WHEN AUTOS COLLIDE

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Rosemary Corbey died shortly after arrival at the hospital. Death was due, it is believed, to a skull fracture. Margaret Corbey suffered a possible fracture of the skull, while Mrs. Corbey was cut about the hands and arms.

Detour was arrested and taken to the First precinct, where he is being held pending action of the coroner. Coroner J. Ramsey Nevitt ordered an inquest to be held in the morgue today.

WARFARE IN CHINA ON BIG SCALE NEAR, AS ARMIES LINE UP

Feng Sends Flower of Force
to Aid Sun Yueh Hold
Province of Chili.

SAVAGE TIBET BORDER
TROOPS REACH PEKING

Fighting in Honan, Where Li
Ching-Lin Is Starting a
Turning Move.

(Special Cable Dispatch.)

Peking, Feb. 9.—Disquieting news reaching the legation offices here indicates that there will be a renewal of hostilities on a large scale soon after the new year holidays, beginning Saturday.

Sun Yueh, who was made governor of Chihli province by Gen. Feng Yu-Hsiang after the capture of Tientsin late in December, is finding his position precarious, and has made appeals for reinforcements for his third army, causing the movement of 15,000 troops of the first army, the flower of Gen. Feng's machine, in the occupation of Tientsin.

Gen. Lu Chang-Lin's Christian troops, who are now occupying Peking, are being replaced by the savage cavalry of the Mohammedan general, Ma Fu-Hsiang, 5,000 of whose troops from Kansu province have reached the Peking barracks. These troops are utterly unaccustomed to the city or its semiferocious customs, being Tibetan border rangers.

Li's Turning Move.

Authentic information indicates that Gen. Li Ching-Lin, having overtaken the governor of Chihli, is moving not directly upon Tientsin, but in a northwesterly direction from the southwestern corner of the province, where he hopes to isolate the Honan forces, and then turn to Tientsin.

The Manchurian general, Chang Tso-lin, apparently is preparing to strike simultaneously in the Jehol district northward from Peking, although leaving ten divisions to hold the line along the Lan River railway east of Tientsin.

The Peking garrison is composed of five divisions and three mixed brigades and all the gates are stoutly held and closed at nightfall.

Fighting in Honan.
Confused news comes from Honan of fighting in which the Kuomintang are under attack from the southwest and east. The mobilization on all the fronts is said to be the greatest since the republic was declared.

The French minister has visited the provisional executive, Tuan Chi-jui to present a formal protest against the anti-Christian movement which is affecting the nation's foreign treaty powers have not protested.

Sensing the foreign apprehension over the Mohammedan cavalry and police in Peking, the Chinese announce the permanent force will be permitted to remain.

CLEARED OF TREASON, BEATS WAR VETERAN

Paris, Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—Jacques Sadoul, recently reinstated in the bar association after revision of his war-time sentence for treason, marked his reentry into Paris law courts today by knocking down a young lawyer, M. Gueffuel, who greeted him with the exclamation, "traitor."

Gueffuel, who is a war veteran and a chevalier of the Legion of Honor, was struck six times and went to the floor nearly unconscious. The bar association which voted Sadoul's reinstatement by a narrow majority, is deliberating on the incident.

Gueffuel, while still prone, offered his visiting card to Sadoul, signifying that he wanted to fight a duel. Sadoul refused to receive it, saying, "I don't want to give you any free advertising."

Later another lawyer handed Gueffuel's card to Sadoul, who accepted it.

Park Avenue Hostess Is Mysteriously Shot

Special to The Washington Post.
New York, Feb. 9.—With a bullet wound in her abdomen, Mrs. Joy Schinzel, 31, of 1105 Park avenue, is in a serious condition in the Lenox Hill hospital. The woman, wife of Henry Schinzel, is a prisoner at the hospital, following a mysterious shooting in her luxurious apartment late Sunday night.

The shooting was kept a secret until today. Mrs. Schinzel was admitted to the hospital at 2 o'clock Monday morning, a prisoner. Since that time a uniformed patrolman has been stationed by her bedside.

Mrs. Schinzel is widely known as a lavish hostess.

SHIP-SAVING DRIVE TO BEGIN

Campaign to Restore Constitution to Be Launched Today.
A drive to raise funds with which to restore the historic frigate Constitution will be launched here by the Society of Sponsors of the United States Navy at a meeting at the Willard hotel this morning.

The society was founded in 1898 by patriotic women, many of whom were descendants of naval heroes, but all of whom had sponsored some ship of the United States navy and pledged themselves to the promotion of a healthy, popular sentiment for the development and support of the navy.

Argo Lodge Officers Installed by Herzog

Sol Herzog, past president of the District grand lodge, installed the officers at a meeting of the Argo lodge, No. 413, Independent Order of B'nai B'rith last night at Harvey's. Those installed were Harold Gann, president; Leroy B. Friedlander, vice president; Morris Go-witz, outside guardian; S. Wyman, warder; David Wiener, recording secretary; Melvin M. Gussdorf, financial secretary; Morris Hahn, treasurer, and H. M. Goldstein, monitor.

The program was arranged by Adlai M. Mann, assisted by Julius Reis, Louis Rohm and H. M. Goldstein. Leo Weinberg, of Frederick, Md., was the chief speaker.

Dr. T. B. Hine, Smoke Screen Inventor, Dies

Chicago, Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—Dr. Thomas Buck Hine, nationally known chemist and inventor of the aerial smoke screen method of hiding troops and ship movements during the world war is dead of pneumonia at his home in Western Springs, a suburb. He was 38 years old.

His development of smoke screens laid down by airplanes was while he was engaged in chemical warfare work at the government arsenal at Edgewood, Md. Dr. Hine at the time of his death was in charge of metallurgical research at the local Western Electric plant.

GEN. MCCLERNAND, 78, DIES IN HOSPITAL

Veteran of 3 Wars Awarded
Congressional Medal for
Indian Fighting.

(By The Associated Press.)
Brig. Gen. Edward J. McClernand, retired, veteran of the Indian wars and the battle of Santiago under Shafter, died at Walter Reed hospital late yesterday after a lingering illness. He was 78 years old.

Gen. McClernand inherited his fighting traits from his father, John Alexander McClernand, who served with distinction in the civil war until friction with Gen. Grant led to his being relieved of his command.

Born in Jacksonville, Ill., in 1848, he was graduated from the Military Academy at the age of 22 years and was appointed a second lieutenant of the Second cavalry. He served with Custer in the Indian campaigns and was awarded the congressional medal of honor for distinguished gallantry in action against the Nez Perce Indians.

After serving under Gen. Shafter in the Santiago campaign in the Spanish-American war, he was sent to the Philippines, where he was acting military governor for a year. He retired from the army in 1912 after serving as president of the cavalry equipment board at the Rock Island arsenal.

M. G. URNER, FORMER REPRESENTATIVE, DIES

Special to The Washington Post.
Frederick, Md., Feb. 9.—Milton G. Urner, 86 years old, oldest practicing attorney of the Frederick bar and father of Chief Judge Hammon Urner, of the Sixth judicial district of Maryland, died here today. He was a son of Samuel Urner and was admitted to the bar in 1862.

He was elected State's attorney in 1871. In 1873 he was elected to the Forty-sixth Congress and re-elected in 1880 and was a member of the District of Columbia committee. He was elected to the Maryland senate in 1887, and in 1890 was appointed naval officer at Baltimore by President Harrison.

He was president of the First National Bank, Mount Airy, for 30 years, and a director of the Farmers & Mechanics Bank, this city, a trustee of the Frederick Female Seminary, and a member of the board of visitors of the Rosewood Training school. He was superintendent of the State Department of Agriculture school here for 45 years. He is survived by four sons and two daughters.

MRS. EUNICE BULLOCH DIES.

Wife of Physician Survived by Two
Sons; Funeral Tomorrow.

Mrs. Eunice Bailey Bulloch, 72 years old, wife of Dr. Joseph Gaston Bulloch, died at the residence, 2700 Twenty-eighth street northwest, yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. Bulloch came to this city about twenty-five years ago. Mrs. Bulloch was born in Fairfield county, South Carolina. Mrs. Bulloch is survived by two sons, Douglas E. Bulloch and Gaston Bulloch, both of this city. Funeral services will be held at the residence tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock. Interment will be in Rock Creek cemetery.



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MRS. BOURNE SCRUBBED FLOORS; COURT IS TOLD

Wife of Heir to Singer Sewing
Machine Millions Is Not
Ashamed, She Says.

IS COMMENDED BY JUDGE

New York, Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—Mrs. Beatrice Clancy Bourne, who is seeking a separation from Arthur K. Bourne, Jr., heir to the Singer Sewing Machine millions, asserted in supreme court today that she was not ashamed of having done housework, including scrubbing floors, both before and after her marriage.

Justice Tierney, who presided, said: "Scrubbing floors is good exercise for young girls, and if more of them did it, there would be less matrimonial trouble."

A libary kept by Mrs. Bourne before her marriage had been produced by Karl Frederick, her husband's counsel, who read passages showing that Mrs. Bourne had helped her mother scrub the kitchen floor and clean house.

Mrs. Bourne testified that she and her husband lived at the rate of \$15,000 a year, although he earned only \$35 a week as an employee of the Singer Sewing Machine company. They had two automobiles, she said, and took their meals at expensive hotels.

She brought suit on the ground that her husband had transferred his affections to Peggy Brennan, vaudeville actress. Mrs. Bourne, before her marriage was Miss Beatrice Clancy, daughter of John P. Clancy, Astoria contractor.

Bourne inherited more than \$7,000,000 from his grandfather, Commodore Frederick G. Bourne, founder of the Singer Sewing Machine, who left an estate of \$14,000,000. The Bournes were married in September 1922, when each was 18 years old.

Ad Club Plans to Seek 1927 World Meeting

First steps to bring the convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World to Washington in June, 1927, were taken at a meeting of the Washington Advertising club at the City club yesterday afternoon. A committee will be named at next week's meeting to arrange plans to invite the world organization at its national convention at Philadelphia in June to come to Washington next year. The convention would bring more than 2,000 advertising men from all parts of the world to Washington.

Frank Kimball discussed plagiarism of old melodies for popular music and Miss Gertrude Henneman, recording artist for player pianos, explained how records are made and compared them with personal renditions.

American Is Slain By Druze Tribesmen

Wichita, Kans., Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—Ellis Loup, 49, a Wichita grocer, was slain by Druze tribesmen in Syria about a month ago, relatives here have been advised. Loup came to Wichita in 1912 and received his naturalization papers in 1921. He went to Syria several months ago to bring his family to Wichita.

Dr. Pearson Accepts U. of M. Presidency

Baltimore, Feb. 9 (A. P.).—Dr. Raymond A. Pearson, former president of the Iowa State college, has accepted the presidency of the University of Maryland. It became known today after a meeting of the board of regents of Maryland national bank. Dr. Pearson's resignation from Iowa State college, which in turn he has headed since 1912, was announced yesterday. At the University of Maryland he will succeed Dr. Albert F. Woods, who has resigned to accept a post in the Federal Department of Agriculture. Dr. Woods will complete the present school term at the University of Maryland and Dr. Pearson will take a vacation abroad before the fall term.

WARNER TO HONOR LINCOLN

Will Read Gettysburg Address at
Hine School Program.

Lincoln's Gettysburg address will be recited by Capt. Lemuel Warner, father of H. E. Warner, principal of Hine Junior High school, at the Lincoln's birthday exercises in the school auditorium at 2:15 o'clock tomorrow and Friday.

Capt. Warner is 82 years old, and was formerly commander of the Burnside post of the Grand Army of the Republic. Patriotic recitations and speeches will be made by pupils, as well as talks on Lincoln.

AUCTION BRIDGE RULES CHANGED BY EXPERTS

All Honors Will Have Equal
Value Without Regard
to the Suit.

SCORING TABLE IS GIVEN

New York, Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—A revision of the rules of auction bridge toward simplified scoring was announced today, following a conference of experts last Saturday. Milton C. Work, chairman of the committee on rules of the Whist Club of New York, and representatives of the American Whist league, the Knickerbocker Whist club and the New York Bridge Whist club attended the conference.

The scoring of honors was changed to give all honors, regardless of suits, an equal value. No change was made in honors at no trump. The following rule was adopted:

Honors are scored in the honor score of the side to which they are dealt; their value is not changed by doubling or redoubling. All honors dealt by each side are scored according to the following table:

1 in one hand, 3 in the other, count 30 points.
1 in one hand, 2 in the other, count 40 points.
2 in one hand, 2 in the other, count 40 points.
2 in one hand, 3 in the other, count 50 points.
0 in one hand, 4 in the other, count 80 points.
1 in one hand, 4 in the other, count 90 points.
1 in one hand, 5 in the other, count 100 points.

Minor changes with relation to revoke penalties were also made. A revision of the revoke rules was made so as to make the penalty one trick, to be scored by the innocent side, eliminating the former penalty of 50 points. The revoking side, may score only honors held for the hand.

AIR OFFICERS HELD FACING INQUISITION

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and statements to the press, has conclusively shown that he has lost no love over the propaganda tactics of the general staff."

Gen. Fechet, in his address, estimated that it would cost between \$60,000,000 and \$80,000,000 to establish the air service as a separate corps and said that he did not feel that the service had sufficiently developed auxiliaries, such as a quartermaster branch, to take an individual stand now or for five years or more.

During the meeting a song, "G-2 Will Get You," was distributed among the reserve officers.

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President to Remain
On Job This Summer

President Coolidge expects to keep his nose to the executive grindstone this summer.

In response to reports that he already had arranged to spend the summer at Swampscott, where he sojourned last year, the President authorized the statement that he did not expect to go there at all this year.

Baruch on Anniversary Commission.
(By The Associated Press.)
Bernard M. Baruch was appointed yesterday by President Coolidge to be a member of the commission for the celebration in 1925 of the two hundredth anniversary of George Washington's birth. He succeeds the late Frank A. Munsey.

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CAPITAL SOCIETY EVENTS

THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Coolidge were the guests in whose honor the Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Mellon, and his daughter, Miss Alissa Mellon, entertained at dinner last evening in their apartment at 1785 Massachusetts avenue. The guests were Senator and Mrs. Walter E. Edge, Senator and Mrs. David A. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Henry White, the American Ambassador to Spain and Mrs. Ogden Hammond, Mrs. Hugh Wallace, Mr. Paul Cravath, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Burden, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Widener and Mr. and Mrs. Richard B. Mellon.

Mrs. Coolidge yesterday afternoon attended the New York Symphony concert, taking with her as her guests Mrs. James T. Begg, of Ohio, and Mrs. Begg's daughter, Mrs. Ward Harrell.

Mrs. Coolidge joined a number of ladies of the Senate at luncheon yesterday as guests of Mrs. George P. McLean, wife of Senator McLean of Connecticut, and Mrs. Walter E. Edge, wife of Senator Edge of New Jersey, the company representing the Senate Ladies Lunch club, which meets on Tuesdays of each week during the session of Congress.

The Vice President and Mrs. Dawes were the guests in whose honor the Ambassador of Japan and Mme. Matsudaira entertained a company of 24 guests at dinner last evening at the embassy.

The Secretary of State and Mrs. Kellogg were the guests in whose honor the Minister of the Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes, Dr. Pavlichich, entertained at dinner last evening. The guests were the Spanish Ambassador and Mme. Riano, the Argentine Ambassador and Mme. Pueyrredon, the Serbian Minister to Great Britain, Dr. Djourich, Senator and Mrs. William H. King, Senator and Mrs. John B. Kendrick, Maj. and Mrs. Parker West, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hamilton Everett, Admiral and Mrs. Edward W. Eberle, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick D. McKenney, Mrs. A. L. Macfeet, secretary of the legation of the Irish Free State, and Miss Dodge, the daughter of the American Minister to Serbia.

The Spanish Ambassador and Mme. Riano will be the guests in whose honor the Minister of Panama and Mme. Alfaro will entertain at dinner Tuesday, March 2.

The Ambassador of France and Mme. Berenger will be the guests of honor of the bureau of commercial economics Sunday evening, when they will show a colored motion picture of France, in the Wardman theater.

Prince Bibesco Is Host.

The Roumanian Minister, Prince Bibesco, was host at a party last evening at the Wardman theater.

when his guests were the Secretary of the Legation and Mme. Nano, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Riggs and Mr. D. Dimancisco, of the legation staff.

The Minister of the Irish Free State, Dr. Timothy Smiddy, will entertain at luncheon in the Florentine room at the Wardman Park hotel tomorrow.

Senor Don Manuel Teiles, Ambassador of Mexico, entertained at dinner last night at the Willard, where he had six guests.

The Minister of Egypt and Mme. Samy are the guests in whose honor Representative and Mrs. Sol Bloom will entertain a company of 20 at dinner at the Mayflower this evening.

The other guests will include Senator and Mrs. Woodbridge N. Ferris, Senator and Mrs. Porter H. Dale, Representative and Mrs. Finis J. Garrett, Representative and Mrs. John Q. Tilson, Rear Admiral Andrew T. Long, Mr. and Mrs. Lehr Fess, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burns, of Columbus, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Droop and Miss Vera Bloom.

The Vice President and Mrs. Dawes had a box at the Chicago opera last evening at the auditorium, which was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Choate.

The British Ambassador and Lady Isabella Howard gave their box to the Duchess of Norfolk, who is the guest at the embassy.

Entertain Before Opera.

The Ambassador of Brazil, Mr. Gurgel do Amaral; the Minister of Switzerland and Mme. Peter and Mrs. Emory Sands were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Normant at dinner last night preceding the opera.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Noyes entertained in their box at the opera last evening the Ambassador of Belgium and Baroness de Cartier, Miss Helen Ernst and Mr. Alexander Kirk.

Mrs. Bessie P. Brueggeman was hostess to a company of six at the supper dance in the garden of the Mayflower last evening, following the opera. Mrs. Brueggeman also will entertain in the garden on this evening and Saturday evening, following the opera, and will have a party of six each time.

Her guests last evening were Maj. and Mrs. Peyton Gordon, Maj. and Mrs. William Wolff Smith and Mr. William Deming.

The box of Mrs. James Dudley Morgan was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Digges Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carroll Morgan.

The Assistant Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Theodore Douglas Robinson will entertain at dinner next Monday evening, for the for-

mer's mother, Mrs. Douglas Robinson, of New York.

The director of the budget and Mrs. Herbert Lord entertained a company of twelve guests at dinner last evening. They also will entertain at dinner this evening, and will be hosts again at dinner on Friday evening, February 19, and Saturday, February 20, when they will also have twelve guests.

To Entertain at Dinner.

Mrs. Thomas F. Walsh will entertain at dinner this evening in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Ira Copley, of Evanston, Ill. There will be 36 guests. Mrs. Walsh has issued additional invitations for a dance which she will give following the dinner.

Mrs. Charles S. Deneen, wife of Senator Deneen, will be at home tomorrow afternoon from 4 until 6 o'clock at her home, 2029 Connecticut avenue.

Mrs. W. F. George, wife of Senator George, will be at home tomorrow afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock at her home, 2219 California street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Mondell entertained a company of eighteen guests at dinner last evening at their home.

Mrs. Brewster Marwick will entertain at dinner next Tuesday evening preceding the Mardi Gras ball.

Mrs. Wallace Radcliffe will not receive tomorrow because of absence from town, but will resume her days at home on Thursday, February 18.

Entertains at Luncheon.

Mrs. Arthur Butman entertained at luncheon yesterday at 2400 Sixteenth street, in compliment to Mrs. Robert Clark, of Boston. There were 28 guests.

Mrs. Frederick Dunham, of Colorado, is visiting for several weeks her parents, the Director of the Mint and Mrs. R. J. Grant.

Mrs. Bruce Wallace will be hostess at tea this afternoon at a meeting of the English Speaking union at 1107 Sixteenth street.

Mrs. J. Arthur Kelly has her son, Mr. Arthur P. Kelly, of Ithaca, N. Y., visiting her at her home at 2228 First street northwest.

Representative Richard Aldrich will entertain at dinner this evening, later taking his guests to a box at the opera.

Navy Sponsors to Meet.

The Society Sponsors of the United States navy will attend a luncheon at the Willard at 1 o'clock today. Mrs. Curtis D. Wilbur, wife of the Secretary of the

Navy, will be among the guests, and Mrs. Russell C. Langdon, president, will preside. Other guests will be Mrs. Hugh Orth, Mrs. A. T. Seutcliffe, Mrs. A. Matthews, Mrs. E. S. Land, Mrs. G. Balch, Mrs. A. W. Stahl, Mrs. T. E. Bass, Mrs. R. T. Hall, Mrs. J. T. Helm and Miss E. Gleaves.

Mrs. Elton Tyner returned Monday evening and is at the Wardman Park hotel. She arrived in New York January 20 on the Homeric; after nine months in Europe, where she visited friends in London, Scotland and the continent.

Mr. A. Duarte, secretary of the Peruvian legation in Switzerland, will visit in Washington for several weeks and will then return to his post in Bern.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Dennett and Mrs. Patton Wise Slomp will entertain at dinner at the Mayflower Sunday evening, February 21.

Judge and Mrs. Clarence N. Gleason will arrive in Washington Saturday from their home in Chicago and will be at the Mayflower hotel for ten days.

Mrs. Ralph H. Cameron will be at home tomorrow afternoon from 4 until 6 o'clock.

Mrs. Norman T. Anderson entertained at bridge yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Margaret Schuyler Mitchell, whose marriage to Mr. Robert Lusk Wilson will take place Thursday, February 18.

Additional guests were asked for tea, when Mrs. Clyde Mezell and Miss Wilhelmina Jones presided at the tea table, assisted by Mrs. Francis Palmer and Miss Frazer Mitchell, sister of the honor guest.

Mrs. John B. Ecker, of Lexington, Va., is passing a week with Dr. and Mrs. Robert S. Beale.

Mrs. Otho M. Muncaster has recently recovered from her illness and moved to the Westminister, Seventeenth and Q streets northwest.

Voteless Women's Luncheon.

Mr. J. Butler Wright, First Assistant Secretary of State, will be the guest of honor at the forum luncheon to be given by the Voteless District of Columbia League of Women Voters today at 1 o'clock at the club house of the American Association of University Women. Owing to the fact that the president of the league, Mrs. George A. Ricker, is absent from the city, the first vice president, Mrs. Edward P. Costigan, will preside. Mrs. Charles McNary, Mrs. Albert Putney and Miss Laura Knott will assist in receiving.

Several parties are being given in compliment to Miss Margaret

AUNT HET



"I didn't even know Cousin Egbert was in town until I recognized his snore in church Sunday."

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Schuyler Mitchell, whose wedding will take place February 13. On Friday Mrs. Norma T. Anderson will entertain at a bridge tea for her, and Saturday Miss Flora Krause will give a luncheon bridge in her honor.

Mrs. F. L. MacIntyre, her aunt, will arrive in Washington today to remain until after the wedding. Mrs. MacIntyre is from Thomaston, Ga., where Miss Mitchell formerly made her home.

Mrs. Louis Napoleon Geldert, of Memphis, Tenn., and Mrs. Anna Katherine Green Rohlfis, of Buffalo, N. Y., are at the Shoreham hotel for a few days. This afternoon from 4:30 to 6:30 o'clock Mrs. Harry A. Wood Colman, national president of the League of American Pen Women, will give a tea in honor of Mrs. Geldert, former national president of the league, inviting the members to meet Mrs. Rohlfis, national chairman of the novelists' committee.

The Woman's National Democratic club will give its usual forum luncheon today at the clubhouse, 820 Connecticut avenue, with Representative Tom Connolly, of Texas, as the speaker. Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, president of the club, will preside, and among the guests will be Mrs. John B. Kendrick, Mrs. Andrews A. Jones, who will have with her Mrs. E. B. Meese, of Texas; Mrs. Carter Glass, Mrs. Wilbur Hubbard, Mrs. Huston Thompson, Mrs. Stephen Bonsal, Mrs. Cordell Hull, Mrs. Blair Banister, Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham, Mrs. Frank Hiram Snell, Mrs. Richard C. Burrell.

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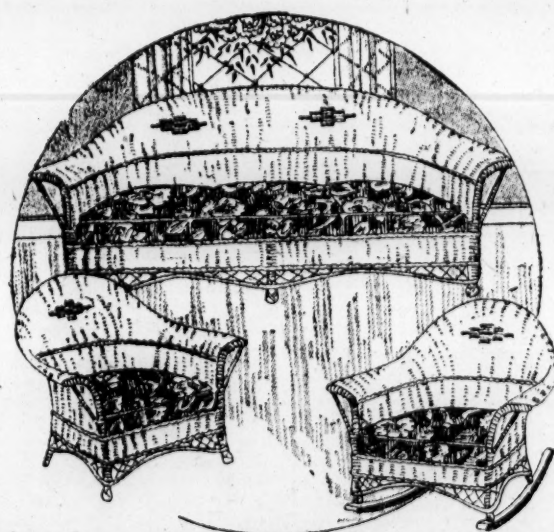
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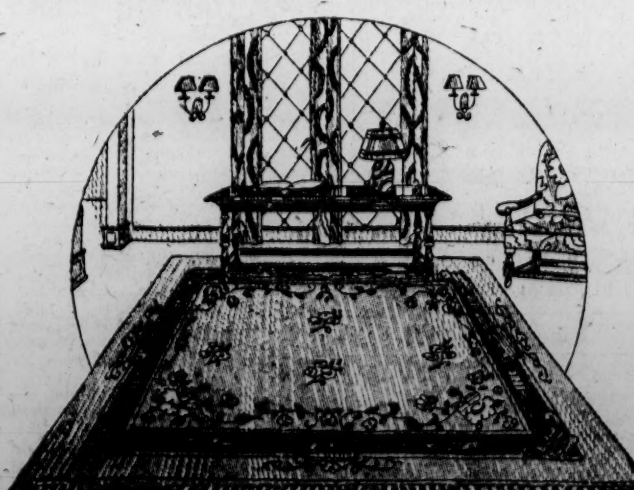
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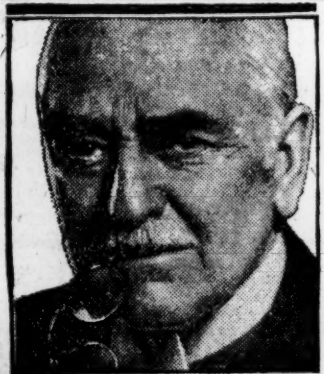
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COMMISSION DEFERS ACTION ON WOODLEY ROAD BUS EXTENSION

Penning Attacks Rudolph's Right to Vote; All Silent as to Reason.

FARE TO BURLEITH RAISED TO 10 CENTS

Gas-Main Extension to Far Northeast Sections Ordered at Meeting.

Commissioner Frederick A. Penning, whose determination not to permit the Woodley road motorbus line to be extended to Ordway and Thirty-fourth streets northwest led him to challenge Commissioner Cuno H. Rudolph's right to vote on the question, yesterday succeeded in finding other means to delay a decision.

For nearly an hour the members of the public utilities commission discussed the case and a few others concerning which there was no difference of opinion. They granted the Washington Railway & Electric Co. the right to increase fares on the Burleigh motorbus line to 10 cents cash, 6 for 50 cents, with transfers issued only on cash fares. They disapproved a petition to extend the same line to Foxhall Village until the form of the request should be changed. They signed the order to the Washington Gas Light Co. to run gas mains to the far Northeast section of the city, as described last week in The Post.

Then they adjourned, with decision of the petition of 300 Richmond Park citizens for the Woodley road bus extension deferred. A deep mystery was made of the reasons for this delay. None of the five persons present in the meeting would discuss it. But it was reported, more or less authoritatively, that another technical point similar to Commissioner Penning's challenge of Commissioner Rudolph's right to vote had been interposed.

Silence Maintained.

The opinion of Corporation Counsel Francis H. Stephens, holding that Mr. Penning was in error and that Mr. Rudolph was legally able to vote, was not made public. Like all other details of the affair, no one would talk about it.

"Decision deferred, see Covell," was Commissioner Rudolph's sole reply when asked what happened.

"Further consideration of the Richmond Park bus extension was postponed," said Maj. W. E. R. Covell, assistant to the engineer commissioner. Pressed for details, he said, "See the commissioners."

Maj. Covell and Executive Secretary Earl V. Fisher remained side by side as long as there were newspaper reporters about, apparently to be above suspicion of having told what went on between the commissioners.

Bell's Reply Terse.

It was similar when questions were directed at Lieut. Col. J. Franklin Bell, engineer commissioner.

"The decision was suspended," he said.

"Suspended?" chorused the reporters.

"I mean delayed," he explained.

"It will come up again in a week or maybe earlier."

"Why was it delayed?" he was asked.

"The matter was postponed," he

said, and replied in the same words to a dozen other questions, including whether or not the corporation counsel had submitted his expected opinion and whether he had been asked for more opinions on other technicalities.

"That's all there is to print," he said.

Commissioner Penning had another way of saying nothing. His words in reply to all questions were:

"The case is still under consideration."

Christian Endeavor Society Gives Play

Members of the Christian Endeavor society of the First Reformed church presented "It Happened in June," three-act comedy drama by Eugene G. Hafer, at Parkview school last night, under the direction of Mrs. E. Lina Bugbee.

Those taking part were Miriam Arner, Lillian Lunenburg, Virginia Arner, Theresa Jarrell, Clara Oberholtzer, Frank Reyman, Edward Knouse, William Poulton and Albert Knouse.

ZIHLMAN ASKS REMOVAL OF ALL GRADE CROSSINGS

Would Supersede One-a-Year Program; Cost Estimated at \$569,000.

ROAD WOULD PAY HALF

Acting in the light of the latest grade crossing tragedy, Representative Zihlman, chairman of the House District committee, yesterday introduced a bill providing for the removal of all grade crossings in the District.

This bill would seek the immediate elimination of the crossings instead of removing one a year under the present plan of the District commissioners. The commissioners are to consider Mr. Zihlman's bill at their next meeting.

Under the plan of eliminating one crossing a year, there is a bill now pending providing for the removal of the Michigan avenue crossing. In the deficiency appropriations just passed by the House there is provision for the elimination of the Lamond crossing.

Besides these two there are three other crossings in the District which, under the terms of Mr. Zihlman's measure, would be removed. They are the Chestnut street crossing, where Monday's accident occurred, the removal of which, it is estimated, would cost about \$70,000, the Bates road, or Varnum street crossing, \$80,000, and the Quarles street crossing at Kenilworth, \$220,000. Of this total of \$569,000, the railroad concerned would have to pay half under the usual form of this kind of legislation and any street car company subsequently using the viaduct or underpass would have to pay a fourth.

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EASTERN BEATS CENTRAL TO TIE FOR HIGH HONORS

A. L. Puts Ban On Use of Resin

Helen Wills On Verge of Scratching

Landis Case Not Discussed—New Code Action Later.

Heimach-Jeanes Trade Off; No Other Deals Consummated.

By FRANK H. YOUNG

A SIDE from ratifying the 1926 American league schedule, as submitted by the committee appointed to draw up the date-list, the only important business transacted at yesterday's meeting of clubs in the junior major circuit, staged at the Washington hotel, was the unanimous refusal to permit its pitchers to use resin during the coming season.

As far as could be learned, no deals of any kind were pulled off. Connie Mack, of the Athletics, was not present, but Tom Shibe advised Manager Harris that there was "nothing doing" regarding the proposed trade of Outfielder Tex Collins for Pitcher Lefty Heimach. Collins of the White Sox, was said to be scouting around for a short stop but he denied the allegation. The other two skippers present—Fohl and Huggins—declared they were in Washington merely for their health and for the banquet which the Washington club staged at the Racquet club following the meeting.

JUST previous to the regular meeting, the league's board of directors gathered in secret, but, as far as could be found out, all they did was to discuss the weather, crops, etc.

The modified use of resin was approved by the joint rules committee appointed by the two leagues, but, as was the case at the December meeting when American league club officials vetoed it to a man, they followed the same procedure at yesterday's meeting.

Clark Griffith, Washington club president, was one of the strongest opponents of the adoption of the measure, and he had little trouble in convincing all of the other managers that it was a step backward. "Practically all cheating by pitchers may be traced to the use of this substance," Griffith stated, "and the adoption of a rule permitting its use is simply throwing down the bars and encouraging hurlers to try to get by with murder."

This action on the part of the American leaguers, while their National league brethren are countenancing the use of resin by their fingers, will make special world's series rules necessary, with Commissioner Landis having the job on his hands of making these rules. The matter of adopting a revised constitution came in for lengthy discussion. A new code was prepared and submitted, but action was deferred.

It will be taken at a meeting to be called by President Johnson before the season starts, after two Chicago law-

Commercialism Entering Riviera Tennis Disgusts Her.

Will Play to Prevent Misinterpretation of Withdrawal.

By FRANK H. YOUNG

CANNES, France, Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—The commercialism which has been entering into Riviera tennis, as exemplified by the sale of the exclusive moving picture rights to a private firm and heavy betting on her match with Mlle. Lenglen, nearly caused Miss Helen Wills, the American champion, to scratch today from the singles play in the Carlton club tournament, and for a few hours jeopardized the meeting between the French and American champions.

So disgusted was the California girl with the manner in which the organization has handled the tournament, she has decided to withdraw from the match, and she has written to the tournament committee, according to the belief expressed by her friends, only the thought that her default would be interpreted throughout the world as fear to meet Mlle. Lenglen in a singles combat prevented her from announcing her retirement.

Torrential rains, necessitating postponement of today's events in the tournament, have conspired to delay the Lenglen-Wills match another day. Sunday, February 14, now appears the most probable date for their meeting.

INTEREST in the meantime is growing, but unfortunately, in the opinion of lovers of amateur tennis, the gambling element has entered the competition, and odds are being offered on the match. The contest, which is casting a spell of uneasiness over the coming match.

The managements of the three casinos aver that they are total strangers to any gambling on their premises, except legalized roulette, baccarat, and that any betting on tennis is done outside their jurisdiction. Nevertheless a Greek syndicate, which for three years has ruled supreme over the baccarat tables at Deauville and Cannes, announced today that it has 5,000,000 francs it is willing to wager on Mlle. Lenglen against 1,000,000 francs on Miss Wills. Even money in small and large amounts that the California girl does not win five games in two sets is the most frequent bet.

Both Miss Wills and Mlle. Lenglen have shown great annoyance on learning of the reports of the heavy betting, but Helen, with her usual philosophy, remarked to the guests at a tea:

"I suppose you can not prevent gamblers from betting on anything, but it is rather incongruous that the tennis activities of two young women are treated like a race track feature or a boxing match."

OFFICIAL AMERICAN LEAGUE SCHEDULE, 1926

Read	AT CHICAGO	ST. LOUIS	DETROIT	CLEVELAND	AT WASHINGTON	PHILADELPHIA	NEW YORK	AT BOSTON	ABROAD
CHICAGO	The	April 21, 22, 23, 24 June 2, 3 July 1, 2, 3 Sept. 5, 6	April 25, 26, 27, 28 May 24, 25 June 1, 2 Aug. 16 Aug. 30, 31, Sept. 1	April 29, 30, May 1, 2 May 23, 24 June 1, 2 Aug. 16, 17 Aug. 31, Sept. 1	May 7, 8, 9, 10 July 15, 16, 17 Aug. 20, 21, 22, 23 Aug. 26, 27, 28, 29	May 11, 12, 13, 14 July 15, 16, 17 Aug. 23, 24, 25	May 15, 16, 17, 18 July 21, 22, 23, 24, 25 Aug. 17, 18	May 19, 20, 21, 22 July 16, 17, 18, 19 Aug. 10, 11, 12, 13	Decoration day at Cleveland
ST. LOUIS	April 13, 14, 15, 16 June 23, 24, 25, 26 Sept. 8, 9, 10	Post's	April 17, 18, 19, 20 May 20, 21 June 22, 23 July 5, 6, 7 Sept. 2	May 3, 4, 5 May 24, 25 June 1, 2 Aug. 14, 15 Aug. 31, Sept. 1	May 11, 12, 13, 14 July 15, 16, 17 Aug. 20, 21, 22, 23 Aug. 26, 27, 28, 29	May 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 July 15, 16, 17 Aug. 20, 21, 22, 23 Aug. 26, 27, 28, 29	May 19, 20, 21, 22 July 21, 22, 23, 24, 25 Aug. 17, 18	May 15, 16, 17, 18 July 16, 17, 18, 19 Aug. 10, 11, 12, 13	July 5th at Detroit
DETROIT	May 3, 4, 5 June 23, 24, 25, 26 Sept. 8, 9, 10	April 29, 30, May 1, 2 May 23, 24 June 1, 2 Aug. 16, 17 Aug. 31, Sept. 1	Pink	April 21, 22, 23, 24 May 20, 21 June 22, 23 July 5, 6, 7 Sept. 2	May 11, 12, 13, 14 July 15, 16, 17 Aug. 20, 21, 22, 23 Aug. 26, 27, 28, 29	May 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 July 15, 16, 17 Aug. 20, 21, 22, 23 Aug. 26, 27, 28, 29	May 19, 20, 21, 22 July 21, 22, 23, 24, 25 Aug. 17, 18	May 15, 16, 17, 18 July 16, 17, 18, 19 Aug. 10, 11, 12, 13	Decoration day at St. Louis
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AT HOME	12 Saturdays July 30, 31 Labor day Conflict: May 30th	12 Saturdays July 30, 31 Labor day	11 Saturdays July 30, 31 Labor day	12 Saturdays July 30, 31 Labor day	12 Saturdays July 30, 31 Labor day	12 Saturdays July 30, 31 Labor day	12 Saturdays July 30, 31 Labor day	12 Saturdays July 30, 31 Labor day	12 Saturdays July 30, 31 Labor day

Maryland Tossers Conquer Tarheels by a Single Point

WIN AT END, 23 TO 22

By JUNE KINERK

MARYLAND'S revamped basketball team rose to the peak of its form last night and, with Capt. "Zuke" Supplee, defeated the North Carolina Tarheels in 40 minutes of the wildest, exciting and most hectic kind of basketball by a single point, 23 to 22.

At no stage of the game was either team more than 3 points ahead of the other, and the lead changed hands practically every time the ball went through the hoop, whether from the foul stripe or from scrimmage. Just three minutes before the final gun Artie Boyd, Maryland's expert "life-saver," pocketed the ball from just outside the foul zone for the deciding points to break a 21-point deadlock.

While climax followed climax in the wild final minutes of play, it remained for Cobb, the Tarheels' leader, to furnish the real dramatic thriller of the game.

WITH only a half minute of play left Cobb came up with the ball in a scrimmage and dribbled up to the goal, pushed the ball up along the backboard in an effort that would have resulted in a field goal were it not for the fact that the ball rolled all around the iron hoop and fell off to the floor, after apparently once being half-way down the mesh.

Had the ball gone in it would have spelled defeat for the Old Liners. Van Story having brought North Carolina within a point of a tie by tossing in a free throw a minute before.

While Artie Boyd came through with the winning basket for Maryland, it was Capt. Supplee who really earned the verdict for the Old Liners.

Although Cobb's final effort went astray, his play during the game left little to be desired. He was watched like a hawk all night by every Maryland player on the floor, yet he came through with three pretty baskets, all on hurried shots from a goodly distance. He was eclipsed for the North Carolina scoring honors by his captain, Doddger, who scored all of his five tries from the foul mark and two field goals as well.

Maryland. Position. N. Carolina.
Linkins.....R. F.....Neenan
Adams.....Center.....Doddger
Supplee.....Forward.....Troxell
Carr.....R. G.....Hackney
Substitutions—Emsor for Linkins, Linkins for Emsor, Boyd for Linkins, Folsom for Supplee, Supplee for Folsom, Boyd for Troxell, Van Story for Doddger, Adams, playing (4), Beatty (2), Adams, Boyd, Cobb (3), Doddger (2), Van Story, Hackney, Folsom, Supplee (4 in 5), Cardwell (1 in 1), Emsor (1 in 1), Linkins (1 in 2), Boyd (0 in 1), Beatty (0 in 1), Adams (0 in 2), Doddger (5 in 5), Van Story (2 in 2), Beatty (1 in 2), Neenan (0 in 1), Cobb (0 in 1). Referee—Menton. Umpire—Fitzgerald.

DESERTS OLYMPICS.
Zurich, Switzerland, Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—The Swiss Shooting Federation has decided not to submit further to the jurisdiction of the olympic committee, alleging that the olympic shooting competitions have been participated in by professionals.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL
Maryland, 52; North Carolina, 50. George Washington, 49; West Virginia, 16. Clemson, 38; South Carolina, 30. Ames, 24; Princeton, 20; Washington and Jefferson, 44; Allegheny, 25; Drake, 18. Richmond, 37; Roanoke College, 35. St. Victor, 26; Valparaiso University, 20. DePaul University, 34; Illinois State Teachers College, 20. Eureka, 36; Illinois College, 17. Kansas Aggies, 41; Nebraska, 35.

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GONZAGA NOT ON CENTRAL GRID LIST

Breaking of Athletic Relations Between Schools Seen.

By FRANK H. YOUNG

ATHLETIC relations between Central and Gonzaga high schools apparently have been broken. The 1925 Central football schedule does not include the annual game with the Mt. Pleasant team last year by a 6 to 0 score to win the District championship.

While no comment on the subject was forthcoming from Central officials, it is generally understood that the Mt. Pleasant school is opposed to playing schools which do not come up to their standard of eligibility rules.

THE Gonzaga-Central clash of last year was the feature game of the local scholastic football season and drew one of the largest crowds ever to witness a schoolboy gridiron battle.

Central is booked for the usual swing around the public high school circuit with Baltimore Polytechnic, Alexandria High, Swabey Prep and Newport. News their only outside opponents. The date of the Newport News game is pending.

The schedule follows:
October 3—Baltimore Polytech, Central stadium; 8, Alexandria High, Central stadium; 15, Swabey Prep, A. A. Manassas; 19, Eastern; 20, Tech.
November 5—Business; 12, Western.

Mother's Death Calls Star Mermaids Home
Yonkers, N. Y., Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—The death of Mrs. Grace F. O'Mara today called from the women's national A. A. U. swimming meet at St. Augustine, Fla., her two daughters, Doris and Aileen, who were entered in several championship events.

Both girls are leading members of the women's swimming association of New York, Doris being one of the organization's foremost point scorers.

A blow in the stomach in the third round sent Smith to the canvas, and when he failed to recover consciousness he was taken to the hospital. He died three hours later.

Cubs Leave for Camp At Catalina Tomorrow
Chicago, Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—The 1926 major league baseball season is just around the corner. More specifically, it is less than 48 hours away. Bright and early Thursday morning the majors will be nudged out into the sunlight, spring or otherwise, by a train full of Chicago Cubs, California bound.

The Cubs, departing for the Wright proving grounds at Catalina Island, are the first outfit in the big circuits to get away for spring training. The rest of the clubs will follow suit in rapid succession.

Some twenty odd players will leave here Thursday morning, several more will be picked up at Kansas City and a third contingent, headed by Manager Joe McCarthy, will be waiting at Los Angeles. At least 30 players will be on hand Monday morning when the tinfol comes off the first ball and McCarthy starts his career as a big league pilot.

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Gotham Cauliflower Cabinet Is Reappointed by Governor

FUNNIER DECREES EXPECTED

By WESTBROOK FEGLER.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—The famous New York Cauliflower Cabinet, a group of three earnest ministers whose administration of the prize-fight business regularly attracts more notice than the efforts of the President's own council, has just been requested to carry on the great laugh-a-minute regime which simultaneously commands and forbids Jack Dempsey to fight Harry Wills in the State of New York.

Gov. Al Smith has reappointed Minister James Farley, the chairman, popularly known as Jimmy Johnston's friend, and Minister William Muldon, known as the Secretary of State for minding other people's business. Minister George Brower, whose attitude on various matters is never understood very clearly and who is popularly known as the other fellow, is a hold-over appointee and therefore doesn't receive a new certificate with red ribbons glued under a gilt seal to hang on the office wall.

THE cauliflower cabinet, much cheered by the vote of confidence from the governor, which is also construed as a gubernatorial kick in the pants for the critics of the cabinet, held a meeting this afternoon and formulated plans to take active steps to inaugurate a campaign for more and funnier cabinet decrees.

It is expected that the hilarious Mickey McTigue decree, by which the world's worst prize fighter is named as the first challenger for the lightweight championship, will be retained in the cabinet's repertoire, or routine, as the comedians of vaudeville describe their sure-fire material. This decree and the Dempsey-Wills decrees are as dear to the cauliflower cabinet as the famous "Go, Mike, how I love you," accompanied by a finger jab in Mike's eye, was to the old team of Weber and Fields.

It is hard to imagine how the cauliflower cabinet can formulate any funnier decrees than these, but nobody ever thought there could be decrees that funny. Perhaps the cauliflower cabinet will formulate a decree commanding William T. Tilden and Strangler Ed Lewis to meet for the fly-casting championship in a neutral bathtub.

Inasmuch as the three ministers of the cauliflower cabinet are intelligent and successful men and altruists serving for nothing, it is hard to understand why they take such pains to inject a trace of the ridiculous into so many of their rulings. On stepping into the office to find a floral horseshoe of entwined cauliflowers standing on his desk the newcomer to the cabinet realizes that he will have to take a certain amount of abuse, no matter how wisely he may execute his duties.

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Guyon's Five Triumphs, 23 to 22

Business Takes Third Place by Downing Tech, 20-18.

Record Crowd of 4,000 Turns Out to See Thrilling Games.

By WALTER HAIGHT.

LAYING before the largest crowd ever to witness basketball here, Eastern gained a 23 to 22 decision over Central, which created a tie between those teams for the public high school championship in the final game of the series at the Arcade yesterday. Business defeated Tech in the other struggle, 20 to 18, to clinch third honors.

It is fitting that the record gathering, estimated at more than 4,000 fans, saw two of the closest and hardest-fought contests ever played on a local court. The playing floor was a bedlam of action throughout both games.

BASKETBALL. Spartans went into the crucial game representing Eastern and Central and gave an exhibition worthy of titular play.

First one team and then the other forged ahead, but never by more than 2 points, until, with three minutes to go, Central swung out to a 22-17 advantage, only to have the Light Blue and White creep on its heels on two baskets by Radice and then carry off the honors in the closing minute when Hozarth made good on two foul shots.

Business and Tech warmed the fans up for the finale with a battle forced to an extra period, in which baskets by May and Jones gave the Stenographers the victory after Werber had put the Manual Trainers ahead for a moment at the start of the added session.

Eastern employed its long passing game and scored most of its points either on close to the basket shots, follow-ups or "bat-ins." On the other hand, Central had few opportunities for "snowbirds," and spent little time trying to figure the dogged Eastern defense.

FROM the start of the contest, the Mt. Pleasanters banged away from a distance and it was only the success of Capt. "Mickey" MacDonold and Earl Moser at the heavy art that kept Central in the running.

A check-up on the scoring of the game reveals the fact that it was

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RADIO PROGRAMS

WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 10.

LOCAL STATIONS.

Programs Eastern Standard Time.

NAA—Arlington (435)

10:30 a. m.—Weather reports.

10:55 p. m.—Department reports.

WCAP—Chesapeake & Potomac

Telephone Co. (469)

6:45 a. m.—Tower health exer-

cises.

6 p. m.—Alberto Martin's "Por-

tuguese Trio."

6:45 p. m.—Harlan Randall,

barytone, accompanied by Robert

Feuerstein.

7 p. m.—"Administration of the

Trusts," by Representatives Tom

Connally and Homer Hoch.

7:30 p. m.—Army band, Capt. R.

G. Sherman, commanding. Capt.

William J. Stannard, leader. Clif-

ton S. Woodrum, barytone, guest

soloist.

8:30 p. m.—Davis saxophone

octette.

9 p. m.—Ipana Troubadours.

10 p. m.—Roxy and His Gang.

WRC—Radio Corporation (469)

11:55 a. m.—Arlington time sig-

nals.

12 noon—Organ recital by Ger-

trude Smallwood.

1 p. m.—Lee House trio.

4:15 p. m.—Meyer Davis' Le

Paradis band.

5 p. m.—George F. Ross, pianist.

5:15 p. m.—Marguerite Clark

Cromwell, soprano; George F. Ross

at the piano.

5:30 p. m.—Readings by Madge

Tucker.

5:45 p. m.—Billy Gedney and

Francis Boyle, assisted by Mrs.

Edith Reid at the piano, in popular

songs.

WRHF—Radio Hospital (256)

11 p. m.—News.

11:30 p. m.—Police reports.

DISTANT STATIONS.

CKAC—Montreal (411)

Silent.

KDKA—Pittsburgh (309)

12 (noon)—Weather.

4:20 p. m.—Grain market.

6:30 p. m.—Dinner concert.

8 p. m.—News.

8:15 p. m.—Address.

8:30 p. m.—Sacred music.

9 p. m.—Concert.

KMOX—St. Louis (280)

7 p. m.—Organ.

8 p. m.—Orchestra.

9 p. m.—Studio.

10 p. m.—Orchestra.

11 p. m.—Solist.

KOA—Denver (325)

8 p. m.—Stocks.

9:30 p. m.—Instrumental.

10 p. m.—Orchestra.

10:15 p. m.—Studio.

12 p. m. to 1 a. m.—Dance.

KFI—Los Angeles (467)

7 p. m. to 1 a. m.—Continuous.

KTHS—Hot Springs, Ark. (375)

10:30 p. m.—Dance.

11 p. m.—Orchestra.

KYW—Chicago (536)

7 p. m.—Dinner music.

8 to 11 p. m.—Continuous.

2 a. m.—Insonnia club.

WAIU—Columbus, Ohio (294)

6 to 7 p. m.—Music.

WBBM—Chicago (226)

9 to 10 p. m.—Orchestra.

1 a. m.—Quartet.

WBZ—Springfield (333)

6:25 p. m.—Markets.

6:30 to 10:30 p. m.—Continuous

WCAO—Baltimore (275)

8 p. m.—Vocal and instrumental.

10 p. m.—Orchestra.

OTTO WATT

By Barrie Payne

REGINALD HIX HAD A

BEAUTIFUL YACHT

THAT WAS THE MIDDLE OF MARCH

BUT THE NIGHT WAS WASHY

SO HE WENT FOR A SAU-

WITH A GIRL NAMED DACHT

AND REGGIE, ALAS WAS

A HEK OF A SACHT

HE DANK TIL HE SCARCE

KNEW WHACHT WAS WHACHT

AND TOLD DACHT HE LOVED

HER A HEK OF A LACHT

AND OODLES OF SIMILAR

TOMMYRACHT

I COULD TELL

MORE BUT

I'D BETTER

NACHT

SO WE'RE

SIGNING OFF

ON OTTO

WACHT!

NEHEHO

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THE GUMPS

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By SIDNEY SMITH.

MR. GUMP, MY NAME

IS MARK M. FRAMEN - I

HAVE BEEN ENGAGED BY

MISS PRUDENCE CHURCH

TO ENTER A BREACH OF

PROMISE SUIT AGAINST

YOU FOR \$1000,000. MISS

CHURCH SHUNS PUBLICITY

AND IT POSSIBLE WOULD

LIKE TO SETTLE THIS

MATTER OUT OF COURT.

MISS CHURCH

AND I WERE

FRIENDS -

NOTHING

MORE - MY

INTEREST IN

HER WAS

ENTIRELY

PLATONIC.

WE SHALL OFFER THIS GROUP OF SNAP-

SHOTS SHOWING MY CLIENT IN YOUR ARMS

TO THE JURY AS EXHIBIT "A" - THEN WE HAVE

A BURNING LOVE LETTER WRITTEN BY YOU

BEGGING MY CLIENT TO BECOME YOUR WIFE -

ALTHOUGH IT IS SIGNED SNOOKY, THE HAND-

WRITING EXPERTS WILL PROVE IT WAS WRITTEN

BY YOU - SHOULD YOU ATTEMPT TO DENY IT

THAT SHALL BE OUR EXHIBIT "B" - WE ARE PREPARED

TO PROVE YOU SENT HER FLOWERS DAILY -

SHOWED HER WITH COSTLY GIFTS - THEN WE

SHALL LET A JURY OF YOUR PEERS DECIDE

WHETHER OR NOT YOU'RE

INNOCENT.

THIS IS AN OUTRAGEOUS

SWINDLE - I DENY EVERY-

THING - THAT LETTER WAS

WRITTEN BY ME FOR

PRUDENCE CHURCH'S OWN

BROTHER - HE HAD A

BROKEN ARM AND

COULD NOT

WRITE TO

SWEETHEART.

I AM SORRY TO

INFORM YOU MISS

CHURCH NEVER HAD

A BROTHER, HOWEVER,

WE WON'T BE HARSH -

WE WANT YOU TO

HAVE A CHANCE TO

THINK THE MATTER

OVER - WE HAVE ALL

THE EVIDENCE WE NEED -

I WILL CALL IN SIX DAYS

AND LET YOU SAY WHETHER

OR A

SETTLEMENT.

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NEW THRILLER

WAY DOWN

SOUTH

EPISODE TWO

AT PALM-AMI

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AND NOW, A

WEEK LATER

THE FASHIONABLE

AND EXCLUSIVE

"SPENDMORE

HOTEL" AT

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WALL STREET GOSSIP

New York, Feb. 9 (By A. P.).—Characterizing 1925 as a year of unusual construction progress and new business development, officials of the Alabama Power Co. announced today that gross earnings of \$11,724,117 for the period represented an increase of 30 per cent over 1924, while net earnings of \$5,372,180 were 24 per cent larger. The industries of Alabama, particularly the mines and steel mills, are operating at full capacity, said the company, and the trades in the such volume as to indicate a large and permanent degree of prosperity throughout the State.

Potomaka Mills, Massachusetts, today omitted the quarterly dividend due at this time. Payment of \$1.50 a share was made three months ago.

Approximately \$2,000,000.000 was paid by the packers of the United States to the farmers in 1925 for meat animals dressed under Federal inspection, an increase of nearly \$300,000.000 over 1924, it is calculated by Oscar G. Mayer, of Chicago, president of the Institute of American Meat Packers. This increase in live stock values was a substantial contribution to the nation, equivalent to an increased average value of about \$4 per head on every beef animal, sheep and hog dressed during the year, the statement said.

The chief increase occurred in the price of hogs, which averaged nearly 50 per cent higher than the year before and almost 50 per cent higher than 1924, a normal provision year. Prices paid for cattle increased 10 per cent, calves 20 per cent and sheep and lambs 12 per cent. The hog supply was 20 per cent smaller than in 1924. Present hog prices were said to be 19 per cent higher than a year ago, when prices already had shown considerable advance over the levels which prevailed during much of 1924, the report said.

Surplus of the Chicago & Northwestern railway for 1925 after charges, has turned out to be somewhat better than was shown in the preliminary report in January, Frederick W. Sargent, president, revealed today. The amount was \$10,784,578, equal to \$6.35 a share on the common after preferred dividends. The preliminary report made it \$1,433,000, or \$6.10 a share. Capital expenditures on additions and improvements last year

were \$6,637,914, Mr. Sargent said. Operating ratio was reduced 2.81 per cent to 77.84 per cent. Transportation costs decreased about \$3,500,000. Maintenance of way expenditures were \$20,988,337 and equipment maintenance, \$20,613,192. Mr. Sargent expected gross for the first half of 1926 to show slight improvement over 1925 with net operating income about the same.

U. S. Hoffman Machinery almost doubled its net income in 1925 compared with the year before, \$1,301,889 against \$689,374. This is equal after preferred dividends to \$5.73 a share on 216,286 shares of common in contrast to \$3.66 a share on 180,000 shares of common after four months preferred dividends in 1924.

Preliminary figures indicate Phillips Petroleum Co. had its big year in 1925, net being expected to exceed \$20,000,000, after interest, taxes and other charges. Net for 1924 was \$15,699,599.

Accumulated dividends on the preferred stock of the Jewel Tea Co. were reduced to \$27.50 today with declaration of a back dividend of \$2.25 a share, in addition to the regular quarterly disbursement of \$1.75. Both are payable April 1, to holders of record March 18.

Net profit of Gillette Safety Razor Co. for 1925 increased to \$12,089,857, equal to \$6.04 a share, against \$10,122,473, or \$5.06 a share the year before. Total current assets, including \$5,242,619 cash, were \$21,986,658, and current liabilities \$123,999, making working capital \$21,862,659 against \$18,179,435 at the close of 1924.

Edmunds & Jones reports net

income of \$257,111 for 1925, equalized after preferred dividends of \$4,333.33 on 50,000 shares of par common shares, was paid with \$54,983 in 1924, or \$529 a share on 49,000 common shares in 1924.

Production of pig iron in Great Britain in 1925 declined to 6,235,000 tons from 7,337,400 in 1924. The Bankers Trust Co. of New York, reports. The output of steel castings and castings also was smaller, 7,397,300 tons against 8,201,200.

Stockholders of Consolidated Cigar Co. have exercised their rights to subscribe to one share of

three shares held, bringing the outstanding shares of no-par common

to 194,696. The proceeds will be used to retire 3,500,000 6 per cent notes due January 1, 1928, leaving about \$3,600,000 preferred, the only outstanding security prior to the common.

Although the automobile industry took only a small portion of the usual tonnage from the American Sheet & Tube Plate Co., in January, 1928, this was the largest order for any January since 1917. The company's production will average 80 per cent of capacity this week. The balance of the industry is producing at about the same rate.

A new method of issuing nonvoting stock, with the privilege of conversion into voting shares, designed to attract investors to this type of security, has been outlined by bankers in plans for a recapitalization of the Auto Car Co. New York and Philadelphia banking houses are associated in the transaction, which calls for enlargement of the company's capital structure to provide for expansion. The new capitalization will consist of preferred stock convertible into voting shares. While the "A" shares will be without voting power, but have preferential dividend treatment, their holders will have the privilege of converting their shares into voting shares by converting their stock, share for share, into the "B" securities, in which voting power will be vested.

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BUICK master 6-borough, 1925, sedan, in a class by itself for condition and appearance. Just turned in from Lincoln, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1945, 1946, 1947, 1948, 1949, 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1957, 1958, 1959, 1960, 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964, 1965, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 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165 OF 350 PASS BAR EXAMINATION FOR PRACTICE HERE

185 Found Not Qualified for
Law in Examination Held
in December.

GROUP TO BE ADMITTED
AT NEXT GENERAL TERM

15 Women Students Among
Those Who Passed Tests
Successfully.

Only 165 applicants out of a total of 350 who took the bar examination last December qualified to be admitted to practice, according to a list made public yesterday by the examining committee of the Bar Association of the District. The 165 new lawyers will be admitted next month by the District Supreme Court sitting in general term. They are: Sylvester John Aquino, Franklin L. Adams, Francis W. Brown, James Harfield Bowen, George Lee Boswell, James O'Dell Bouton, Robert M. Bruce, George W. Billings, Samuel Bernstein, Nathan Bluffstone, Wade M. Becker, Millard Blum, Andrew M. Buntin, Philip Francis Biggins, John Ralph Barrow, Charles E. Beyer, William E. Currie, William B. Crawford, Elmo V. Coons, Verne G. Corey, Mary G. Connor, Mitchell B. Carroll, Eugene S. H. De Souza, Gerald Carl Crockerberg, David W. Cannon, Susan T. Campbell, Paulus W. Davis, Edward B. Dean, Jr., Lawrence B. Dunn, James T. Duffy, John W. Dyer, Jr.

S. L. Elinhorn, Allen C. Fisher, Ruby R. Fleming, Charles S. Forbes, Isidore Bernard Feinberg, James Lamb Finegan, Joseph FitzGerald, Jr., Clarence Fleetwood Fulton, Rees A. Gillespie, Edward Patrick Guinane, Frank B. Gorman, Jesse E. Gancoe, John E. Cogline, John J. Gorman, Rose S. Guin, Alfred Goldstein, Joseph A. Getz, Martha R. Gold, William R. Glisson, Joseph B. Harlacher, Alva Orlando Hearne, H. D. Hayes, Willard L. Hart, Nita S. Hiaman, Bernard J. Hasson, Harry K. Herschman, Charlotte A. Hankin, Harry M. Hull, Merrill W. Holland, Ernest Clayton Johnson, Thurston B. Johnson, Frederick T. Johnson, Henry K. Jawish, Albert L. Jacobs, Edward A. King, Albert Henry Kirchner, Leonard L. Kalish, Herbert Cowling Kimball, James S. Keen, Conway N. Kitchen, Irene C. Kushner.

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Lowell O. Thomas, Carl W. Tyler, Stanley J. Tracy, Louis David Tanenbaum, Thomas E. Turpin, Leighton C. Taylor, Milton R. Vollmer, Oscar Paul Vogel, Mario Ventura, Thomas E. Walsh, William P. Welgester, Melville Walker, Lewis J. Wallace, Charles Wells, William B. Wilbur, Irving I. Wall, Alice J. Whitcomb, R. G. Wood, Harry R. Waterman, Addison Henry Willey.

Girls' Society Gives
3-Act Play at Church

"Miss Fearless and Company" a three act comedy with a cast consisting entirely of girls, was given by the Westminster society of the Eastern Presbyterian church, Maryland avenue and Sixth street, northeast, last night.

The leading role was played by Wilhelmina Richmond and Elsie Allwine was amusing as the hysterical Aunt Euphemia. Others taking part were Olga Sieverling, Myrtle Bray, Marian Brooks, Susie Richardson, Anna Hamilton, Marian Wood, Blanche Hubbs and Cecil Brookie. There were musical numbers between the acts by Harriet Krieger and Mildred C. Averill.

Marsh Held for Grand Jury.

Harold S. Marsh, 18 years old, alleged incendiary, was held for the grand jury yesterday in police court under \$10,000 bond on a charge of arson in connection with the \$50,000 fire at the Victoria apartments, Fourteenth and Clifton streets northwest, January 31. He pleaded not guilty and was remanded to jail.

Taxi Company Sued.

The Black & White Taxicab Co. was sued yesterday in circuit court for \$10,000 damages by Goldie Reese, who says she was knocked down by a cab at Seventh and E streets northwest December 30. Attorneys Friend and Joyce appeared for the plaintiff.

Stockholders Seek Bankruptcy for Firm

The firm of Ansell, Bishop & Turner, Inc., dealers in musical and radio instruments, 1221 F street northwest, and its president, Charles Jacob, were ordered yesterday by Chief Justice McCoy in equity court to appear Friday to show cause why a receiver should not be appointed and also why a restraining order should not issue to prevent cancellation of the lease and disposal of the corporation's assets.

The request for the receiver and restraining order was made by Samuel H. Bishop, stockholder, and Mrs. Lillian V. Turner, who succeeded to the interests of Charles J. Turner, deceased, in the business. Attorneys Leckie, Cox & Sherier appeared for the plaintiffs.

AUTO FALLS 44 FEET; DRIVER WILL RECOVER

R. A. Kuehn, Red Cross Attache at Veterans' Bureau, Is Hurt.

BEAMS BREAK PLUNGE

An automobile driven by Richard Albert Kuehn, 41 years old, of 1847 Fortth-seventh place northwest, yesterday skidded and fell over a 44-foot embankment in front of his home. Kuehn was seriously injured.

Kuehn started for the veterans' bureau, where he is employed as liaison officer for the Red Cross. Driving his car out of the garage he had just started to make a steep curve in a private road leading to Reservoir road, when the car swerved and fell into the excavation, a depth of 44 feet, struck two stringer beams, which broke its fall, and then landed atop the concrete reservoir pipe.

Summoning assistance, David M. Sharpe pulled Kuehn from the car and placed him in a passing automobile which took him to Georgetown hospital, where he was found to have sustained a dislocated shoulder, a broken arm and abrasions of both legs. Hospital authorities said yesterday that he would recover. Kuehn, who was formerly an officer in the Navy, was later removed to the Naval hospital. The automobile was badly damaged.

MRS. IMBRIE TO AID EXHIBIT

Widow of Diplomat Among Those in Charge of Display.

Mrs. Katherine Imbrie, widow of R. W. Imbrie, diplomat who was murdered in Persia, will be among those who will be in charge of the exhibit by the Near East relief that will be made at the Washington auditorium, February 21 to 25, during the convention of the department of superintendence of the National Education association.

In connection with the convention, a breakfast conference will be held at the Hotel Powhatan, when educational problems of the Near East will be discussed.

GEN. LOGAN HONORED IN SERVICES AT TOMB

Anniversary of Birth Observed by Illinois Society, Relatives and Friends.

Commemorating the 100th anniversary of the birth of Maj. Gen. John A. Logan, civil war leader and former senator from Illinois, members of the Illinois State society, accompanied by members of Congress and friends and relatives of the general, yesterday paid tribute to the memory of the dead soldier, at brief services before the Logan tomb, in the United States Soldiers' Home.

The Rev. James Shera Montgomery, chaplain of the House of Representatives, opened the services with prayer, and John A. Logan 3d, of New York, then laid a wreath on the tomb. Mrs. Mary Logan Tucker, 1836 Connecticut avenue northwest, accompanied her nephew, while Representatives Sprout, Chalmers, Arnold, Adkins and Williams also attended the ceremony. Representative Denison, who now represents Gen. Logan's district, and Capt. W. C. Allen, who served as a private under Gen. Logan, took part in the services.

J. T. Watson, bugler of the Soldiers' Home sounded taps. The service was conducted by Victor Martin, president of the Illinois State society, under whose auspices the ceremony had been arranged. He was assisted by O. F. James, secretary of the organization, and Mrs. Nora Gaham Bailey, treasurer.

Alleged Purse Snatcher Held.

Daniel J. Shanklin, colored, was held for the grand jury yesterday by Judge Schult in police court under \$10,000 bond on a charge of robbery. He is alleged to have snatched a purse from Mrs. Margaret Welsmiller, 1355 C street southeast, on February 6 last near Delaware avenue and B street southwest. According to the police, Shanklin used a large knife to get the purse from Mrs. Welsmiller's wrist and inflicted a severe cut.

Property Custodian Sued.

Howard Sutherland, alien property custodian, and Frank White, Treasurer of the United States, were sued yesterday in equity court for a total of \$95,040, which represents the liquidation of the seized assets of a business concern in Manila, P. I. The plaintiffs are Carl H. P. Bergner, of Brazil, who claims \$34,790, and Leonie A. E. Slegert, of Hamburg, Germany, who claims \$31,250, and Erna J. E. Wustney, Edgar T. Bergner and Emily L. A. A. Volland, all of Hamburg, who claim \$10,000 each.

A beginners class in parliamentary procedure will be formed tomorrow night at a joint meeting of the National Society of Accredited Secretaries and the American Pen Women at 1709 H street northwest at 8 o'clock. The public is invited.

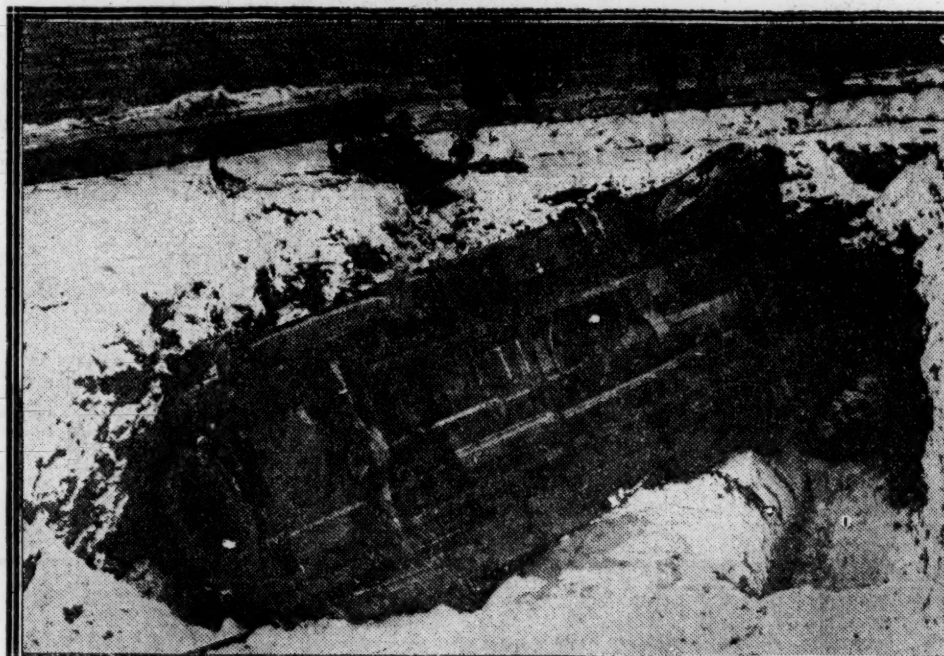
VISUALIZATION OF LOCAL EVENTS



Owners of the American League baseball clubs who met here yesterday to adopt the 1926 baseball schedule. Left to right, seated—E. S. Bornard, Cleveland; Robert Quinn, Boston; Byron Bancroft Johnson, president of the American League; Frank J. Navin, Detroit, and Col. Jacob Ruppert, New York. Standing—Walter McNichols, Cleveland; Harry Grabiner, Chicago; Edwin Barrow, New York; Thomas Shibe, Philadelphia, and Clark Griffith, Washington.



Miss Lydia Archbold, debutante daughter of Mrs. Anne Archbold, who is chairman of the girls' committee for the Mardi Gras ball in the Mayflower hotel February 19



The automobile of Richard Albert Kuehn after it had skidded and fallen over a 44-foot embankment at Forty-seventh place and Reservoir road, seriously injuring Mr. Kuehn.



Members of the St. Theresa's Dramatic club who will appear in "Stop Thief" Sunday, Monday and Tuesday nights, in the hall of St. Theresa's Catholic church, Anacostia. Left to right, seated—Helen Taggart, Eva Dent, the Rev. J. V. Buckley, Arthur Bradley White, director; Mary Laforest and Catherine Loughrey. Back—Raymond Levey, Norman Levey, Lawrence Stewart, Joseph Austin, Jerry Nelligan, James Dore, Thomas Buckley, Robert Mudd and Alfred Laforest.



Triple automobile crash at Twenty-sixth and M streets northwest yesterday. A truck, touring car and sedan figured in the collision. No one was hurt.



Bernard T. Fitzgerald, singer of Irish melodies and folk songs, who will be one of the entertainers at the Knights of Columbus dinner in the Willard hotel Tuesday night. Archbishop Curley will be the guest of honor.

Dahlgren Terrace Rezoning Is Ordered

The zoning commission yesterday decided to rezone property in Dahlgren Terrace from industrial D to residential B area. The proposal has been pending for more than a month and has been fought spiritedly on each side. William McK. Clayton, representing the Federation of Citizens Associations, appeared before the commission in behalf of the residents of the section who sought the change.

Property abutting on the east side of Tenth street northeast, between Franklin and Hamill streets, was changed from residential A to residential B, restricted territory, barring erection of all kinds of buildings except detached and semi-detached residences.

PLAN COMMITTEE URGES BATES ROAD WIDENING

Cedar Street Abandonment Also Is Suggested; Delano to Keep Post.

CAMMERER IN HAWAII

Changes in the highway plan, including the abandonment of one street and the creation of another one, will be recommended to the District commissioners as the result of the city planning committee's meeting held yesterday.

The committee decided that since some houses already have been built in the line it is planned to follow, Cedar street, between Piney Branch road and Georgia avenue, should be abandoned. This street is not yet cut through, but is planned for on the highway maps now used by the District.

On the other hand the committee felt that the same action to be followed with regard to Queens Chapel road should be followed in the development of Bates road as planned north of the Soldiers' Home. This road, now 33 feet wide, when developed, should be made a 90-foot street from Allison street north.

Yesterday marked the first of the weekly meetings of the committee, which heretofore has been meeting monthly. By the more frequent meetings the committee hopes to handle matters more expeditiously and to keep abreast of its docket.

Frederic A. Delano yesterday notified the committee by letter that because of his commission to study in Persia for the League of Nations, he will be unable to serve on the committee for four or five months. He offered to retire from the body if the committee felt this to be desirable. However, as the membership of the committee is not restricted the committee feels it advisable to function with one less member until Mr. Delano's return and to keep his place open.

A. B. Cammerer, the park service was also absent from yesterday's meeting. He is in Hawaii.

COMMITTEE TO ACT PROMPTLY ON POOLS

Beach Bill Passed by House; Need for Starting Work Soon Stressed.

Prompt consideration will be given by the Senate District committee to the Zihlman bathing beach bill, which passed the House yesterday. The effort of Representative Blanton of Texas to have the bill amended to read specifically that the \$345,000 provided for, should come solely out of District revenues, was defeated, 217 to 145.

If Congress again fixes its contribution toward District expenditures at the lump sum figure of \$9,000,000, as it is indicated it will, the District will bear the full expense of the two beaches, and Representative Zihlman, chairman of the House District committee, contended that Mr. Blanton's desired provision was unnecessary.

Senator Capper, chairman of the Senate District committee, said that the full committee would take up the bill with a view to expediting its consideration. Those behind the measure want to have it passed promptly in order that the beaches can be made ready for the coming summer.

BISHOP TO SPEAK TONIGHT.

Dedication and House Warming to Be Held in Chevy Chase Church.

The Rt. Rev. James E. Freeman will be the speaker at the house warming and dedication services to be held at All Saints' church, Chevy Chase circle, tonight at 8 o'clock. Invitations have been extended to all residents of Chevy Chase to attend the service, following which an inspection of the new building will be made and a reception held in the parish hall.

Sues Lake Glenada Company.

Lee Benoit, 2222 Q street northwest, filed suit yesterday in circuit court against the Lake Glenada Co., Inc., to recover \$126,000, which, he says, is due him under an agreement dated April 23, 1924. Through Attorney Bell, Marshall, Rice and Heth, the plaintiff says that \$6,000 cash and \$120,000 in bonds is due him for services in connection with the plan to re-finance the defendant concern.

Partner Seeks Accounting.

James Lamprakes filed suit yesterday in equity court against George Pappas, for an accounting relative to a alleged partnership agreement under which they conducted a delicatessen store at 1430 New York avenue northwest. The store has since been torn down to make room for an office building. Attorneys Reynolds and Martin appeared for the plaintiff.

O. E. S. to Give Dance Tonight.

Esther chapter, No. 5, Order of the Eastern Star, will give its annual dance at the Willard hotel tonight. The event is in charge of Mrs. Lucy E. Fessenden, Mrs. Lucy Miller and Mrs. Mildred Shaffer.

BOOSTERS DEPLORE CIVIC ASSOCIATIONS OPPOSING NEW BODY

Fear of Confusion in Working
With Federation Unfounded,
Organizer Says.

SOLE PURPOSE TO PUSH
CITY'S EASTERN SECTION

Robert R. Faulkner Thinks
Congress Heights Citizens
Hasty Passing Judgment.

Opposition to the East Washington Boosters association on the ground that it will cause confusion among the citizens' associations in working with the Federation of Citizens Associations, is based on misinformation rather than fact, Robert R. Faulkner, one of the organizers of the boosters, asserted yesterday.

Mr. Faulkner referred to the opposition to the boosters' association by members of the Congress Heights Citizens association at their meeting this week, when the association voted "unfavorably" on the invitation to join the boosters.

Would Boost Eastern Section.

Speaking of the opposition of E. J. Newcomb, one of the chief opponents, he declared that "I am sure that had Mr. Newcomb given the association fair trial and study he would have been of different mind," adding:

"The association only aims at boosting the eastern sections of the city. It intends only to be a clearing house for the opinions, desires and needs of the eastern sections as a whole. It has no other motives than to provide a means for cooperation among the various public welfare organizations of East Washington."

Expects to Do Great Good.

"There is certainly no harm in a boosting organization while, on the other hand, it can do a great deal of good for the eastern section, for the most part neglected in the past. It will not oppose or counteract the federation in any way."

As a result of the action of his association, E. C. Purdy, one of the organizers of the boosters, who endeavored to have the Congress Heights association join, will cease to be chairman of the membership committee or to be a member of the boosters' organization. It is stated. Mr. Faulkner said that the association is in process of organizing. The associations of the East are endorsing the boosters with little opposition, he said.

White House Caller Suspicious; Arrested

An Italian "prince by marriage" was yesterday forcibly ejected from the White House by secret service men and turned over to headquarters detectives, Varney and Brodie, who had him lodged in Gallinger hospital after he insisted on seeing President Coolidge "on business."

The "prince," who told the police he had married the king's daughter and was therefore of royal blood, was later identified as Giovanni Sacco, a 28-year-old miner of Webster, Pa. He also told White House police he wanted to have the President reprimand officials of the Italian society, which recently met in Washington, for interfering with his business. When searched, the man had more than \$400.

Mrs. Bessie E. Lovejoy Files Suit for Divorce

Mrs. Bessie E. Lovejoy, 2905 Eleventh street northwest, who accuses her husband, Charles E. Lovejoy, of desertion, yesterday gave another woman \$18,000 in cash and spent large sums entertaining the woman, filed suit in equity court yesterday through Attorneys Haven & Havell for a limited divorce.

Lovejoy is described as a man of considerable wealth, owning \$300,000 worth of land in Florida. His wife says that he has an income of \$30,000 a year.

Sermon on Divine Healing.

Dr. Isaac Ward, conducting revival services at First Methodist Protestant church, Southeast, declared last night that the day of divine healing has not passed. "God and man, working together, is the means by which the world is to be redeemed," he said.

CITY BRIEFS.

A joint meeting of the State Americanization and the immigrant's manual committees of the D. A. R., will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Webster school.

The United States Navy Band orchestra will give a concert at the Marine barracks tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

The Young Women's Hebrew association will meet in the Eighth Street temple tonight.

Mrs. Mary E. T. Chapman, president of the International New Thought alliance, will lecture at the Playhouse tonight on "Unlimited Health."

The Mrs. McCoy Andrews Day Nursery will meet this morning at 10 o'clock at the nursery, 473 I street southwest.

J. Butler Wright, First Assistant Secretary of State, will address the forum luncheon of the Voiceless District of Columbia League of Women Voters this afternoon at 1 o'clock at 1634 I street northwest.

The Rotary club will hold its weekly luncheon this afternoon at 12:30 o'clock in the Willard hotel.

The Lions club will hold its weekly luncheon this afternoon at 12:30 o'clock in the Mayflower hotel.